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EMPEROR HAILE SELASSIE REPORTED LOST ON NORTHERN FRONT



Entrusted by Haile Selassie with the organisation of an Ethiopian Red Cross unit, Major Gerald A. Burgoyne. 62-year-old Englishman, was killed when Italian planes bombed his unit lest mouth.

TURKISH ACTION?

TREATY MAY BE REPUDIATED

Dardanelles May Be Re-Fortified

"NO OTHER COURSE OPEN"

Istanbul, To-day. Hints that Turkey may repudiate stantly when a trans-Continenthe clauses of the Treaty of Lautal Western air liner crashed sanne with regard to the demilitarinto the hillside at Dulaney's isation of the Straits if it cannot Cave in the district known by and Germany's and Austria's rethe Mayor of Newark, who was ed over it. pudiation of the military stipula-injured. that the remilitarisation of the Dardanelles is most essential Turkey's existence.

It is added that despite Turkey's cated that the radio of the magenuine desire to respect her engagements she must use all means to achieve the modification of the regime of the Straits and the fortification of Gallipoli.—Reuter.

SOVIET-OUTER MONGOL PACT

Japan Shows Her Concern

SITUATION BEING CLOSELY WATCHED-

The Soviet-Outer Mongol pact Foreign Office at Hsinking de to be false. scribes it as an act of brigandage tantamount to the absorption of Outer Mongolin by the Soviet.

Meanwhile the Japanese Consul-General at Nanking has, according to a Japanese report, urged upon General Chang Chun the necessity for the full assertion of necessity for the full assertion of cent. of their face value. The were circulated, as the two hauls China's rights. The Consul-forgers intended to circulate the General said that Japan was counterfeit notes in Canton closely watching Nanking's at owing to their general use in titude. all circles.

General Chang Chun assured him that no secret Sino-Russian "PHILIPPINE CLIPPER" undertaking existed and this, combined with the Chinese protest, is Manila, To-day. - The Pan-Secretary of State for War, in expected to mollify the Japanese American Airways "Philippine the House of Commons yesteropinion, which has interpreted the Clipper" left for Alameda at 1.13 day. Air Force units will also ing.—Reuter. engine trouble.—Reuter.

AMERICA

SERIOUS FLOODS DESOLATION

ROLL EXCEEDS 500 **DEATH**

Atlanta, Georgia, To-day.

Serious floods now menace the areas devastated by Monday's terrible tornadoes. The rivers in Georgia and North and South Carolina, swollen by 24 hours' ceaseless rains, have overflowed their banks in many places.

Some 454 bodies of victims of the tornadoes have so far been discovered, mostly at Tupelo and Gainsville. About 1,800 persons have been seriously injured and 22,000 rendered homeless. The damage is estimated at \$25,000,000. The Red Cross headquarters at Washington have appealed for relief funds for the victims. Soldiers are patrolling the streets of the stricken towns and militia, convicts and relief workers are removing the debris and restoring the water and lighting services.-Reuter.

PLANE CRASH

IN U.S.

Eleven People Killed

Instantantly

Union Town, Penn., To-day.

accurately. - Reuter.

FORGED NOTES

Wholesale Traffic

In Canton

[From Our Own Correspondent]

It is believed that only a small

Canton, To-day.

Eleven people were killed in-

Washington, Earlier: It is estimated that the death roll from the tornado exceeds 500. Some 429 bodies have already been recovered and over 1,700 people are reported to have been seriously injured. - Renter's Bulletin Service.

BOMB OUTRAGE IN MEXICO "GRAVEYARD" CLAIMS MORE

Nine People Killed In Wrecked Train

Mexico City, To-day.

Vine persons have been killed many seriously injured as achieve the same end by negotia-pilots as "The Graveyard of the the result of the wrecking of two tion are contained in a message Alleghenies," owing to the pullman cars of a train travelfrom Ankara, stating that in view many crashes which have oc- ling between the port of Vera curred in the deep ravines there. Cruz and Mexico City. A bomb of the recent changes in the gen- The three survivors include placed on a bridge over a river eral security conditions in Europe Mrs. Meyer Ellenstein, wife of exploded when the engine pass-

It is believed that the crime tions of the peace treaties, the res- The plane caught fire and res- is political, as Colonel Hernanponsible Turkish circles maintain cuers fought in pitch darkness dez Chazaro, a candidate for , and a raging blizzard to drag the Governorship of the State the bodies from the wreckage of Vera Cruz, was aboard to Officials of the Trans-Continen- train. - Reuter.

tal line state that reports indi-U.S. HELP FOR chine had not been functioning CHINA

Aid In Managing New Currency

New York, To-day.

It is learned that Mr. Henry A. Treasury, will confer with three Interior and Justice, went a director of the Bank of China, dent Quezon in an attempt In view of the discovery of Mr. Y. C. Koo and Mr. P. W. Kuo. settle the situation. forgers' plants manufacturing The conversations are believed to Meanwhile three difference from genuine notes new currency.

igold here.-Reuter.

amount of the spurious notes BRITAIN

Combined Exercises Arranged

army and navy are being arranged at Milford-on-sea, Hamp-LEAVES shire, according to an announcement by Mr. A. Duff-Cooper. Renter.



Four years' imprisonment was the sentence meted out to Dr. Hermann Gortz, a middle-aged German lawyer, at Old Bailey, where he was found guilty of espionage. Gortz was accused of sketching secret British acro-



Dr. Kamil Krofta, newlyappointed Foreign Minister of Czechoslovakie, is snapped at his desk in Prague after taking up his duties. He succeeded Dr. Edouard Benes, now President of Czechoslovakia.

SITUATION IN EUROPE

EXPERIENCED OBSERVERS LEFT PUZZLED

Geneva, To-day.

keep the negotiations under cover as much as possible.

ILLEGAL LAND LEASES

Clearing Up Question In Philippines

ALLEGED THREAT AGAINST LIFE OF OFFICIAL

Manila, To-day. It is rumoured from Davao that threats are being made against the life of the Secretary for Agriculture and commerce in view of his efforts to clear up the question of the land-leases illegally held by Japanese hemp

The Secretary for Agriculture and Commerce, accom-Morgenthau, Secretary of the panied by the Secretaries of the Chinese bankers, Mr. K. P. Chen, Davao yesterday to join Presi-

false Hong Kong banknotes, concern the extent to which the are being discussed in official a merchants here are studying United States is willing to help circles:-(1) That the Governthe counterfeit money and its China in the management of the ment should purchase the lands held by the Japanese; (2) to New banknotes of the Hong Thus far there has been no eject the Japanese; and (3), to Kong banks are examined with intention of the Chinese to at-allow the Japanese time to wind is deeply exercising Tokyo and great care before acceptance, tempt to negotiate additional up their affairs at Davao, after Hsinking. A spokesman of the for fear that they may turn out silver sales or the earmarking of which the Government will take over control of the lands. The Japanese investments in Davao are estimated at \$0,000.000

> be the most likely. The Japansince the foundation of the rethe lands till the leases expire,
> the Cortes having by 238 votes to ment will receive part of the President Zamora maintains man and a crack shot.

FLAMES IN "TRICOLOUR" EXTINGUISHED :

extinguished Benter.

This characterises the obscure situation, which prevents even the most experienced observers from making any forecasts on

this week's developments. The uncertain situation gives rise to various rumours, the most interesting of which is the report, supposedly emanating from wellinformed circles, to the effect that the French and British Governments have agreed to suggest

LOCARNO MEETING AT GENEVA

Geneva, to-day,-It is officially announced that the meeting of the Locarno Powers will be held on Friday instead of to-morrow, as hitherto expected.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

to the Committee of Thirteen to as a preliminary to peace negotiations. It is further asserted that Italy is to be given a period three days to make her decision known, and then, in the event of an altercation which occurred dur- Ecuador no longer proposed to ap-(Continued on Page 3)

SPANISH VOTE OF CENSURE

President Forced To Resign

Madrid, To-day: The third solution is held to Don Alcala Zamora, President Fascist dictatorship.

tional guarantees. Reuter.

Republe. - Reuter.

STRAGGLERS

RELENTLESS ITALIAN ADVANCE ALONG ROADS OF DEATH

Rome, To-day.

"Where is the Negus?" is the question observers on the northern front are asking to-day. It is presumed that he abandoned the motor-car which the Italians found on the roadside because he feared that it would attract the attention of bombing planes, and that he is travelling to the south on muleback

The Crown Prince is moving north from Dessie with 2,000 men to find and protect his father. It is asserted here that the protection is necessary owing to the danger of armed brigands, who are said to be killing and plundering the routed troops of the Negus, whose bombed and machine-gunned corpses strew the route south of Quoram to such an extent that the advancing Italian troops have to tell off burial parties to clear the way.

South of Quoram the Italians are advancing in two columns, one along the "Imperial Way" to Dessie and the other towards Magdala. It is claimed that Abyssinian soil half the size of Britain is now in Italian hands. - Reuter.

ed on Monday, according to a war communique issued yesterday by Marshal Badoglio.

Addis Ababa messag The meeting of the Committee of Thirteen scheduled to take states that a proclamation callplace to-day will be the first to take place in the new League of ing to the colours all Ethiopians Nations Palace. The delegates will meet in the office of the capable of military service was Secretary-General, which seems to indicate that it is desired to issued from the palace yesterday afternoon - Reuter's Bulletin Service.

(Continued on Page 12)

PREMIER IN A DUEL

Goemboes Challenged By Deputy

NO BLOODSHED AND NO RECONCILIATION

" CHINA MAIL " SPECIAL Budapest, To-day.

between the Premier, Dr. Goem-ficant in view of the recent official boes, and his bitter political op-pronouncement that Italy had ponent, Herr Tibor von Eckhardt, enough wheat to meet the home reformer Hungarian delegate to the quirements until the new crop League of Nations, led to a pistol was harvested. duel on Monday, which took place Geneva: It is reported that the address an urgent appeal to Italy in the woods outside Budapest. Government of Ecuador on April to cease hostilities within 10 days The duel, however, ended without 4 informed the Italian Governbloodshed, both of the combatants ment that as it had accepted the being unhurt, and parting unre-principle to negotiate for a peace-

a negative Italian reply, the Sanc- ing a session of the parliamentary ply sanctions against Italy. foreign committee. The quarrel must have taken on a personal turn, as Herr Tibor von Eckhardt had in a previous speech fully endorsed Dr. Goemboes' foreign policy. In his home policy, however, Herr Tibor, von Eckhardt is Dr. Goemboes' most bitter enemy, accusing him of trying to break the 1,000-year old Hungarian Constitution" and setting up

after which the Government 5 adopted the Popular Front's vote fairs, which included one with the An earlier message said that

Rome: The last of the Abys-WHEAT FOR ITALY

HUGE CASH SALE TRANSACTED

Leakage In Italian Resources

ECUADOR STOPS SANCTIONS

London, To-day. A spotlight on the effect of sanctions was seen yesterday in the news of the sale of two cargoes amounting to about 500,000 bushels of Australian wheat to Italy. Since it is feebidden under sanctions to grant credit it is pre-

sumed that the sellers received spot cash, thus indicating a further leakage point in the Italian monetary resources. Moreover the fact that the pur-The long-smootdering quarrel chases are made at all is signi-

ful settlement of the Italo-Ethio-This duel was the outcome of pian dispute, the Government of

SABOTAGE ON U.S. SHIPS

Report Of Enquiry Denied

Washington, To-day. The report that a sabotage investigation is pending or proceed-

will assume control and dispose of censure, stating that he acted ex-Premier, Count Bethlen, were the Washington correspondent of of the property as it thinks fit against the interests of the State always settled amicably, although the New York Times stated that Combined manoeuvres of the During the interim the Govern- in dissolving the second Cortes. Dr. Goemboes is an expert swords- recent cases of sabotage aboard income derived from the lands. that Parliament has no right to A piquant espect of this duel is foreign-born crews, had caused decide the matter, and will appeal that duelling in Hungary is a President Roosevett to instruct to the higher tribunal of constitu-criminal offence, doubly so for Dr. the Secretary of Commerce, Mr. Goemboes in his capacity as Prime Henry Wallace, to open an inves-CORTES PRESIDENT ELECTED Minister, while on the other hand tigation. The names of the ships Madrid: The Cortes has elected as Minister of War he is compell-were being kept secret for the San Francisco, To-day, - The as its President Senor Martinez ed by the officers' code of honour present in order that the passenevidence of such an understand at Manila of 31 days, owing to between July and October. — flames in the Tricolour have been Barrio, Acting President of the to accept any challenge or to be ger business of the lines involved.

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FROM AUSTRALIA

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Closes: Reg. 11.15 a.m. Ord. Noon.

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FAREWELL TO COLONY

Prominent Resident Leaves For Good

DR. J. C. MACGOWN

To-day both the social and schedules exhibited at the Post sporting circles of the Colony are Offices. All letters etc., must be mark the poorer by the departure of ed "By Air Mail" and be handed in Dr. J. C. Macgown, senior partner of the medical firm of Drs. Mac-The Money Order Office is open gown, Anderson, Durran, McElney from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. except on and Hope-Gill, who is leaving by and on Sundays and holidays, when Mrs. Macgown and their two children. His intention is to Telegrams conveying Easter Greet- settle down in practice at Home.

both on the flat and 'over the sticks,' is Chairman of the Fanling Hunt Race Club and a Steward of the Jockey Club; and as an The charge for this class of tele- owner he has had many ponies

Other Activities

Dr. Macgown has also been an ardent Volunteer, holding the rank of Major in the Medical Section of the Defence Corps; from 1914 to 1918 he was on service in the professional work, Dr. Macgown has been on the consulting staff Hospitals and a member of the New Territories medical benevolent Kong." branch of the St. John Ambulance Brigade. He has also been principal medical officer of China Underwriters Ltd.

He is also President of the Hong Kong St. Andrew Society, of which he has always been an ardent supporter.

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EASTER HOLIDAYS

On Friday, April 10, the General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office will be open from 8 a.m. to noon and the other Post Offices from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m.

On Saturday, April 11, the General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office will be open from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. and the other Post Office from 8 a.m. to-9 a.m.

On Monday, April 13, the General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office will be open from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and the other Post Offices from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m.

There will be one collection from the pillar boxes and one delivery of 10 ordinary correspondence each day as Press. McKinley " 10 on Sundays. One delivery of Registered correspondence at 11 a.m. on Friday April 10; at 9.30 a.m. on 9 Saturday April 11; and at 10 a.m. on 9 Monday April 13. The Money Order Office will be

14 entirely closed during the Holidays.



The glamourous Ann Sothern has the starring role in "Grand Exit," the Columbia picture which is showing to-day at the Alhambra Theatre.

ROTARY MEETING First Impressions Of

INTERESTING TALK BY REV. J. D. MacLEAN

Hong Kong

comer's Impressions of Hong mencing at 8.30 p.m.

N. Thomas Tam, the Vice-Pre-lony, it is hoped that they will take sident, in the absence of Profes- advantage of this League function sor L. Forster (President), who to get together and help make the next Sunday.

The following guests were welcomed:-Mr. E. D. Andrews, (New Zealand). Mr. D. Black (Hong be leaving soon to represent the Kong) and Mr. Guthrie.

Rotarian W. Mackintosh would journ in the city.

DANCE AT HOTEL -CECIL

Health And Strength League

A Branch of the Health and namara. Strength League is being formed The Rev. J. D. MacLean, Minis- in Hong Kong, and will take the Great War. Apart from his firm's ter of the Union Church, Kow- form of a Health and Strength, loon, was the speaker at yester- Sports and Athletic Club. The day's Rotary Club meeting and Club is holding their first Dance of the Alice Memorial and Affiliated chose for his subject "A New- in the Hotel Cecil, on Friday, com-

As it is understood there are a The chair was taken by Mr. W. few members throughout the Cois on a tour of the route of the Branch a success. Failing this, The will all members and those wish- command - (on coming for trials Chairman intimated that Profes- ing to become members, please and service), and as Flag Capt. to sor Forster would be back by write to:-W. E. Hewitt, S/L.D.O., I/R.U. Rifles. Murray Barracks, (on transfer of flag). Hong Kong.

food poisoning. Sometimes harsh Kong), Mr. S. M. Churn (Hong Club at the District Conference in Shanghai. He wished him The Chairman announced that pleasant voyage and happy so-

HELENA MAY INSTITUTE

English Association Ends Session

FATHER RYAN SPEAKS ON GILBERT OF THE SAVOY

The last meeting of the present session of the English Association of Hong Kong, which was held last night at the Helena. May Institute, was presided over by Sir Thomas Southorn.

'A large gathering was present to hear Father Ryan, S. J. speak on "Gilbert of the Savoy," otherwise Sir William Schwenk Gilbert, writer of the librettos of the wellknown Gilbert and Sullivan comic operas.

The speaker ably covered the life and achievements of the great librettist, interspersing many anecdotes, and quoting whimsicalities from his work.

Following remarks by Professor Middleton Smith and Mr. G. P. de Martin, a vote of thanks was accorded Sir Thomas and Lady Southorn for their assistance to the Association. Among others present were the Hon. Mr. R. A. C. North, Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo, Mr. R. H. Kotewall and Mr. H. C. Mac-

LATEST ADMIRALTY APPOINTMENTS

China Station

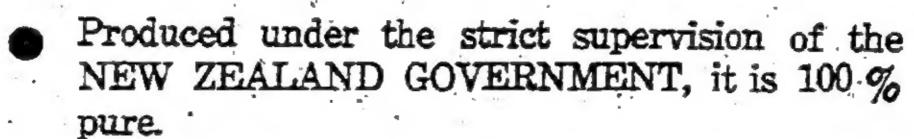
The following are the latest naval appointments to the China

Capt.-J. C. Leach, M.V.O., to Cumberland (April 27), and in

Lt. Cdrs.-R. W. Peers to Medway (April 20); and R. McC. P. Jones to Odin, in command, un-

Sub-Lt. (E).-O. J. F. L. St John to Cumberland (March 30). Surgn. Lt. Cdr.-R. B. Mc Vicker, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., to Tamer (May 8).

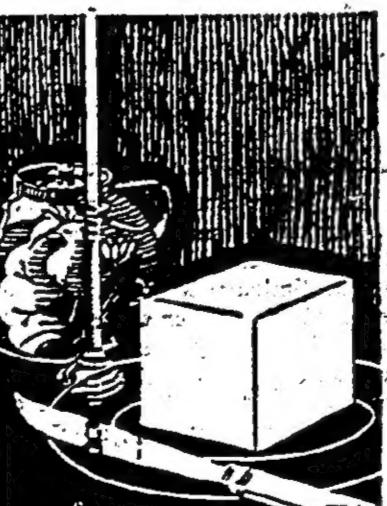
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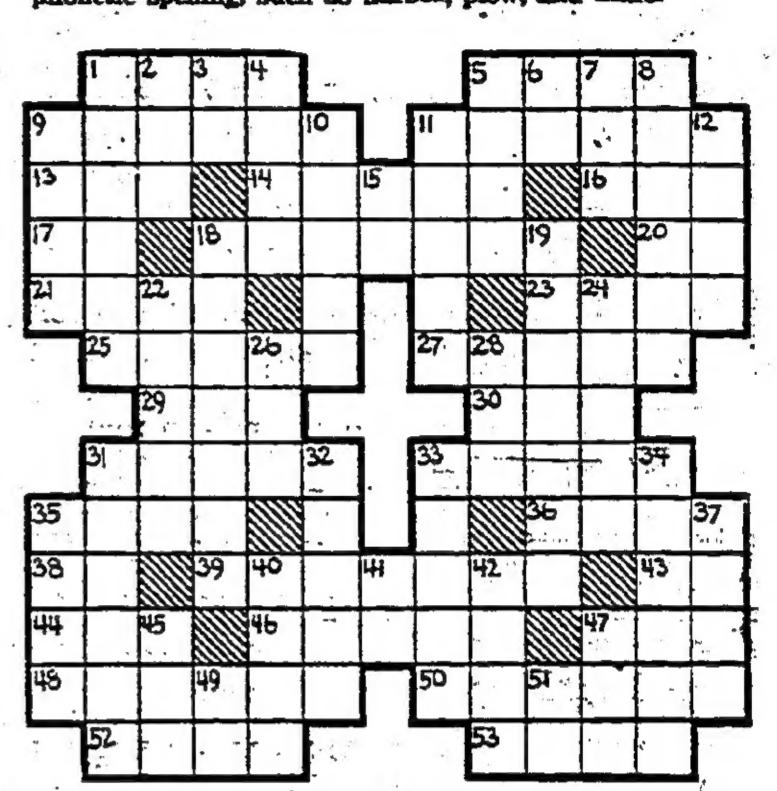
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

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9-Feminine of senor 11-Performs 13-Imitate 14-Matured 16-Before 17-Mother

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> 44-Article 46-Penetrate 47-Tons (abbr.) 48-Cracked open 50-Those who receive 52-Let fall 53-Short gaiter

VERTICAL 1-Leave 2-Unit 3-Preposition 4-Henos 5-Girl's name.

7-Freeze

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9-Identical

10-Melodics

5-Father

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28-A beverage 31-Felt an irritation o the skin 32—Pay out, as money 33-Removed the centre

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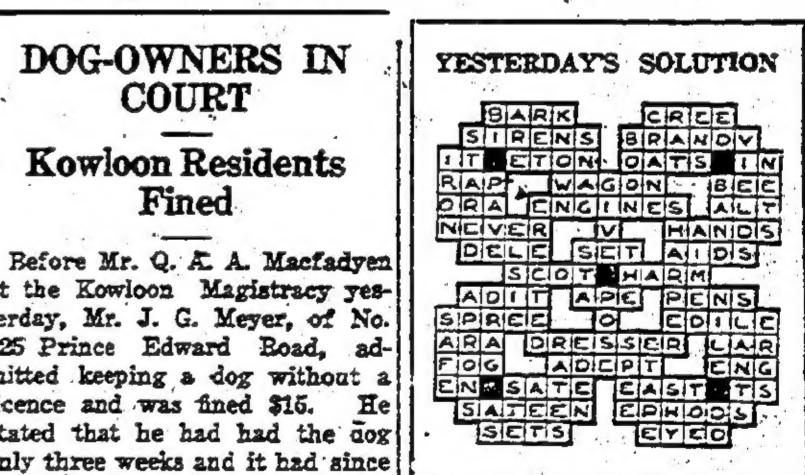
The solution of the above with a new cross-cord puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

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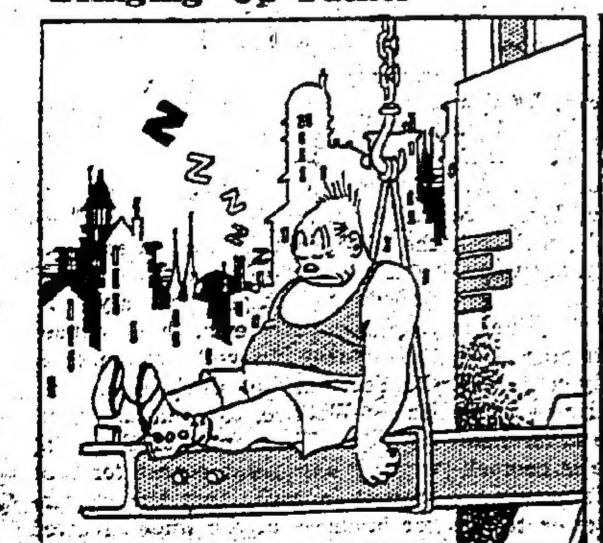
Kowloon Residents Fined

at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, Mr. J. G. Meyer, of No. 225 Prince Edward Boad, admitted keeping a dog without a licence and was fined \$15. He stated that he had had the dog only three weeks and it had since been destroyed.



Mrs. Rowe, of No. 43 Granville Admitting a similar offence, Mr. Road, Kowloon Tong, was fined J. W. Cooper, of No. 90B Nathan a total of \$10 on two summonses Road, was fined \$6. Mr. Kojima. for keeping two bitches and a dog of No. 7 Ashley Road, ground without a licence on March 18. floor, admitted a similar charge Defendant's representative, who of keeping two dogs and was admitted the offences, stated that fined a total of \$8. A fine of \$8 it had been thought that the was also imposed upon Mr. A. W. licences were to be renewed in D. Eca, of No. 25 Cameron Road, for a similar offence.

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THE THIRTY-FIRST ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of Messra Dodwell & Co., Ltd., Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank Building, on WEDNESDAY, 8th April 1936 at noon for the purpose of receiving the report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December 1935.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 28th March to 8th April 1936, both days inclusive.

DODWELL & CO., LTD., General Managers. Hong Kong, 18th March, 1936.

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TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTY-FIRST Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company (since its registration) will be held at the Hong Kong Hotel, Hong Kong, on WED-NESDAY, the 15th April, 1936, at 11.30 A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st., October, 1935.

The Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from Saturday, the 11th day of April to Friday the 17th day of April, 1936, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers. Hong Kong, 4th April, 1936.

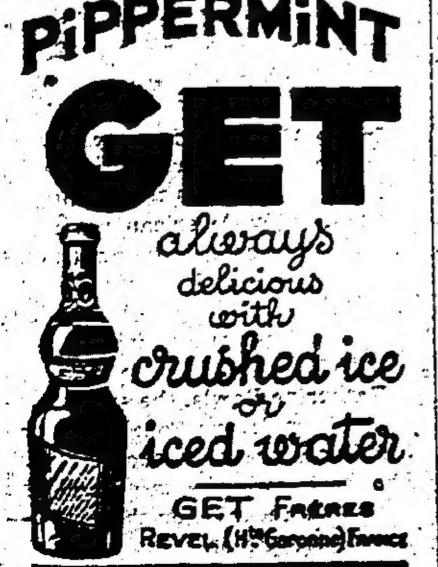
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8.03 p.m.-George Scott-Wood and nis Piano Accordeon. Lulu's Back in Town. In a Little Gipsy Tea Room.

Stars over Devon Speak to me of love. The Big Broadcast of 1936-Selection. Top Hat-Selection. 8.25 p.m. Song Memories. Violet Loraine Medley.

Tom Costello in Song Memories. Drury Lane Pantomine Memories Hermann Lohr There is a Tevern in the Town 9 p.m .- In a Fairy Realm Suite"

Ketelbey). 9.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Daventry Bulletin (Copyright Reuter).

9.30 p.m. Jazz on Two Pianos. 10 p.m.—Big Ben: 10 p.m.—The Mills Brothers. Miss Otis Regrets. My Headache. Lozybones.

VEGRARKI. 10.13 p.m.-Hawaiian Music. Kohala March Honolulu March On the Beach at Waikiki. Hilo Hanakahi.

All Through the Night-Waltz On a Little Street in Honolulu-Waltz 10.30 p.m.-Dance Music. 11 p.m.-Close Down.

BRIDGE NOTES OPENING SUIT BIDS

After a beginner has thoroughly familiarised himself with "biddable suit" requirements, he ready to take up the next vitally

By Ely Culbertson

The possession of a biddable suit does not, in itself, justify an opening bid. In addition, -the hand must contain a certain minimum number of honour tricks, which may be in the bid suit or in side suits. An opening suit Weather Report. one bid requires:

Three honour tricks with any minimum biddable suit.

Two and one-half honour tricks with any rebiddable suit.

These requirements apply to all MEETING will be held (wea- four positions- first, second, her permitting) at HAPPY third, or fourth hand; vulnerable

When a hand contains more ommencing at 12.30 p.m. on each than one biddable suit, the higher ranking (as, spades are higher The First Bell will be rung at ranking than hearts) should be chestra. bid first. Where two biddable Egmont Overture (Beethoven). suits are of different lengths, the Kamennoi-Ostrow, Op. 10, No. 22 longer should be bid first. For example, holding:

Spade A J 6 2, Heart A K 10.3, Glow Worm Idyll (Kincke). Diamond 7 3 2 , Club 8 5, the pro- Irish Rhapsody (Herbert). per opening bid is one spade, not 7.30 p.m.-Concert Items. one heart. Holding:

Spade A Q 10 8 6, Heart 2, Diamond K 9 7 4 3 2, Club 8, the proper opening bid is one dia- Pianoforte Solosmond, because of its greater length.

There are a few exceptions to Songthis rule which may be somewhat confusing unless the reasons for their existence are clearly grasp- Violin Solos-

With a hand such as: Spade A Q 10 8, Heart 6 2, Diamond 8 5 3 . Club A Q 10 6, an opening bid of one club will make the future course of bidding easier for both partners. A club bid makes it possible for partner to bid one diamond or one heart, and then the spade suit also can be shown at the one level.

With such a disparity of high card strength as in the following holding: Spade A K Q 10 6, Heart K 6.

Diamond 8 7 5 4 3 2, Club none. a spade bid, rather than a diamond, should be made. To-day's hand is a bidding ex-

position, rather than a problem of play. South, by his failure to start the bidding properly, found himself in a bad three spade contract, whereas the correct opening bid would have kept him at the one level.

Both sides vulnerable. South, dealer.

S-8 5 2 H-A Q 9 6 3 D-7 5 4 S-7.6 H-K 10 5 4 D-KJ 10 6 C-10 8 7 S-A K 10 4 H-8 2 D-832 C-A Q J 6

The bidding: North West East 2HPass Pass Pass Pass Double (final bid)

Opening lead, Heart jack by

South had his first bid to thank for the mess in which he found himself. A moment's thought would have shown him how to keep the bidding within bounds. namely, to start with a club bid and, over any response from his partner except one no trump, to show the spade suit at the one level. Thus, the bidding should have been:

NORTH SOUTH In the play of the hand there

was no way to avoid the loss of seven tricks-three diamonds, two spades, one heart, and one club. A penalty of 1,100 points instead of 100 (since one spade would not have been doubled).

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1.30 p.m.-Rauter Press Bulletins, Rugby Press News, Local: Weather Forecast. Time and Announcements. 1.40 p.m.-Musical Comedy Ex-

2 p.m.-Dance Music. 2.15 p.m.—Close Down. 4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme. 6-6.30 p.m.-Childrens' Studio Con-

7-11 p.m.—European Programme. 7 p.m.-New Light Symphony Or-

(Rubinstein). Hearts and Flowers-Intermezzo (Tobani).

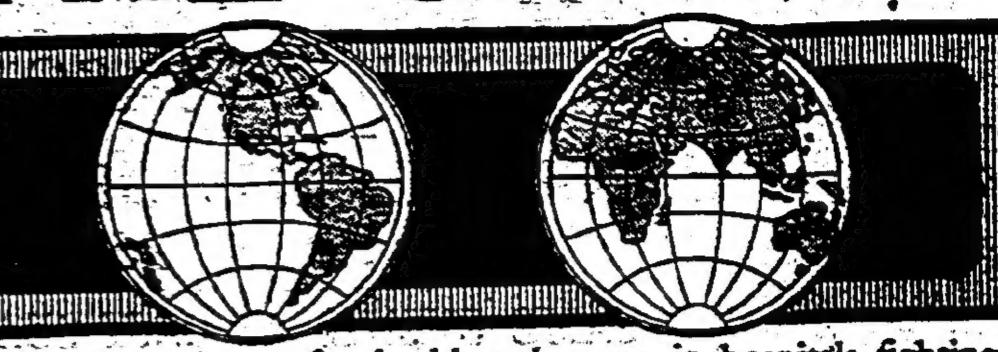
I know of Two Bright Eyes. I'll sing thee Songs of Araby

Ben Davies (Tenor). Pierrette (Chaminade) Danse Creole (Chaminade)

Una Bourne. Down Vanxhall Way (Oliver) Mavis Bennett (Soprano).

La Clochette (Paganini). The Dance of the Goblins (Bazzini) Alfredo Rode. (Continued at foot of Col. 2)

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PAUL KONG GIVES DAZZLING DISPLAY AGAINST CHAMPION



Mr. C. J. Tacchi, above, was in the Chair at the meeting of the Lawn Bowls Association yesterday for the first time since he was elected President of the HK.LBA.

WALTER NEUSEL SIGNED UP FOR TWO CONTESTS

TO FIGHT IN JUNE AND AUGUST

LEN HARVEY DESIRES TO ENCOUNTER GERMAN

(By "LEIGHTON")

London, March 20. Walter Neusel, the German heavy-weight, has been signed up for two fights in the open-air in London during the summer.

His contract stipulates a fight in June, and in the event of victory he will be called upon for another bout in August.

These facts were revealed Manager Paul Damski yesterday, gested, before leaving the Colony, ment yesterday. Neusel's first opponent could not ed to captain the local side. The tage of two penalty bullies awardyet be decided.

Will Meet Winner

It is obvious that Petersen one of the men in mind, but until the Welshman has negotiated the bury. Jock McAvoy hurdle next month. it would not be wise to announce a definite match.

Len Harvey will soon return to season are as follows:take his place among the leading heavy-weights, and he makes no Club de Recreio, K.B.G.C., K.C.C., the Radio ground at 5 p.m. this secret of his desire for another Taikoo R.C., Indian R.C., Police R.C., meeting with the German.

Neusel will come to London C.S.C.C. from Paris to see his stable companions, Bob Olin and Erich R.C., H.K. Football Club "A" and J. M. Tavares, M. H. Hassan, Jag- (Bettery), Pte. K. W. Farrow (M.G. ly to start favourite.

Seelig, in action, at the Albert "B", Yacht Club Craigengower, Police J. M. Tavares, M. H. Hassan, Jag- (Coy.) and Spr. J. M. Royd (En-Hall on April 2, and intends to R.C. and C.S.C.C. stay in England as long as he is permitted afterwards.

HO KA-LAU GOES NORTH

Prominent Local Tennis Ace

Ho Ka-lau, Interport lawn ten- as follows:nis player and twice champion. of the Chinese Recreation Club, left the Colony for Shanghai yesterday, where he hopes to take up a Club de Recreio v Civil Service new business appointment.

Well-known for his cheerful Kowloon C.C. v Crai'gower "A" disposition, he will be missed by Crai gower "B" v Police R.C. most tennis players in the Colony, Kowloon Docks 7 Taikoo R.C. but his absence will be more keenly felt at Causeway Bay, where he was a prominent member of the Craigengower v Kowloon B.G.C. C. R. C. League tennis team.

the local championships and has Police R.C. participated ever since, with the Yacht Club exception of this year. He was a member of the Colony's 1931 Interport tennis team and played in the Doubles with Yew Man-kit, Civil Service v Kowloon B.G.C. but without success. In 1984 he Crai'gower "A" v Club de Recreio captained the first Colony side to Police R.C. visit Indo-China and, with Tsui Talkoo R.C. Wai-pui and Tam Yoc-fong, re- Indian R.C. corded a notable triumph.

He has reached the semi-finals of the Open Singles on several Kowloon B.G.C. v Civil Service occasions and was twice in the Club de Recreio v H.K.F.C. "A" final of the Doubles, first with Kowloon C.C. v Police R.C. Paul Kong in 1980 and later with H.K.F.C. "B" v Yacht Club W. C. Hung last year.

OPENING DAY FOR BOWLS SEASON

COUNCIL DECIDES ON APRIL 25

SAME EVENTS AS LAST SEASON

T a meeting of the Council of the Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association last evening, it was decided that the season be officially opened on Saturday April 25, and also that the same open competitions as last year be held this season. The following were elected to serve on the subcommittee, together with the President and Hon. Secretary, to control all the competitions: Messrs. F. X. da Silva, F. V. Jones, E. el Arculli and J. V.

There was a very lengthy discussion regarding the Open Pairs competition, as there was a suggestion that all the preliminary rounds be decided on 15 heads instead of 21 heads as in previous seasons, while the semi-finals and final be played over 21 heads. It was finally agreed that the matter be referred to the various clubs, and if the general opinion was in favour of 15 heads the matter would then be discussed again by the Council.

The meeting decided, that as a mark of appreciation of their efforts, members of the Hong Kong team who won the Esplin Cup at the Wanstead Club last year, will be presented with the Association's "League Badge."

Speaking of the matches Home this year, the chairman said that there would be a num- PLUCKY FIGHT BY ber of local bowlers in England this summer and that, with the approval of the meeting, he would ask the Hon. Secretary to write to Mr. H. Beer, formerof Craigengower Cricket

Club, and ask him to take over the duties of Secretary and Captain of the Hong Kong team. Lancs, by a goal to nil, after extra

but he added that the question of that Mr. R. W. Bradbury be ask- The losers failed to take advanmeeting decided that Mr. Beer be ed them during a very fast and asked to act as both Hon. Secre- clean encounter. tary and Captain, but, if he so The Punjabis will meet desired, he could hand over the H.K.S.R.A. in the Final on the reins of captaincy to Mr. Brad- Marina ground to-morrow at 4

League Entries

League entries for the current

C. B. Hosking (Hon. Secretary), R. Kemp (Capt.). Basa, F. Jones, J. Fraser, J. Lumny, Ramsay, E. J. Edwards, B. E. Manghan, F. X. da Silva, E. el Arculli, W. Mair, A. O. Madar, S. Deacon, G. Costello and S. Woollack.

League Fixtures

The fixtures for the opening day and the following Saturday are

SATURDAY, APRIL 25

First Division Kowloon B.G.C. v Indian R.C.

Second Division Civil Service v Club de Recreib In 1928 he made his debut in H.K.F.C. "A" v Kowloon C.C.

w H.K. Electric SATURDAY, MAY 2

First Division

v Kowloon C.C. v Crai'gower "B" v Kowloon Dock

H.K. Electric v Craigengower

EAST LANCS.

Punjabis Extended In Hockey Tourney

The Puniabis beat the East The Hon. Secretary then ex-time in the Semi-Final Round of plained that Mr. Beer had sug-the Large Units Hockey Tourna-

RADIO HOCKEY FIXTURE THIS AFTERNOON

First Division: Kowloon Docks, division Mamak hockey fixture on 3.30 p.m. Craigengower "A" and "B", and afternoon will be selected from the following 14 players:-Man Second Division: K.B.G.C., K.C.C., Singh, A. E. P. Guest, J. S. Grew- G. Everest (Engineers) and Pte. V. A. pionship. Either player is cap-Club de Recreio, Hong Kong Electric, al, L. B. Kitchell, Jangeer Singh, Costa (Infantry); Gnr. A. Hussain able of winning, but Pagh is likegeet Singh, Surjin Singh, D. Leo- Coy.) and Spr. J. M. Royd (En-Those present at the meeting were mard, Sarnagat Singh, Gurbachan gineers); L/Cpl. B. T. Gosano (In-Messrs. C. J. Tacchi (President), Singh, Kalwant Engh, and F. A. Battery), Ptc. G. J. White (No. 3 cing at 4.45 p.m.:

HELTER SKELTER DESTROYED

Old Favourite At The Valley

Owing to lameness Helter Skelter, one of the best subs. of the 1932 season, was destroyed at the Jockey Club stables yesterday. Helter Skelter had won \$7,705 in stake money, its best races being won under Mr. Johnny Heard. Another pony which had to be destroyed for the same reason was Mrs. T. E. Pearce's Trowbridge a grey griffin of 1935. This pony was started four times last year but failed to secure even a place.

Max Schmeling, left, who is seen above in a clinch with Walter Neusel for the German heavyweight boxing championship last year, will meet Joe Louis, the sensational "Brown Bomber" in June next, for the right to clash with James J. Braddock, the present holder, for the world's heavyweight boxing title.

LOUIS TO MEET SCHMELING ON JUNE 29

Actual Venue Not Yet Decided Upon

London, March 20 .- The world heavyweight title eliminating bout between Joe Louis and Max Schmeling is to be held in New York on June 29.

The actual site of the match has not yet been fixed.

VOLUNTEERS TO MEET ARMY

Soccer Match For Good Friday

their annual soccer encounter, win. which will take place on the Hong A "marathon" match is expect-The Radio hockey eleven to meet Kong Football Club ground next ed when M. Pagh, the prominent the Royal Engineers in their first Friday afternoon commencing at K.C.C. player, meets D. MacDou-

ed to represent the H.K.V.D.C. (Coy.). Gnr. E. L. Strange (Battery) and Gnr. B. L Bickford (Battery) E. C. Fincher v Lei Kwang-tsun.

Reserves: J. Willis (M.G. Coy.), Club Champiouship (Semi-Final) E. J. Silva (Infantry), W. Knox (M.G. M. Pagh v D. MacDongali.

Mr. H. F. Scrutton R.N., of H.M.S. Dorsetshire, has kindly offered to H. R. McGilchrist and H. L. Tudor referee the match.

BUTCHER BOY WINS BIG MONEY PRIZE

Honolulu, March 27. Gett Lee, \$60-a-month butcher, informed he had won \$50,000 in the Irish Sweepstakes when Bachelor Prince finished third in the Grand National Steeplechase, dropped his cleaver and ran from the shop. He has not been seen since.-United Press.

FINCHER MAY BEAT LAI KWONG-TSUN

Pagh v. MacDougall In Club Championship

(By "BASE-LINE")

ed the Final of the Colony Lawn Tennis Singles Championship on three occasions, stands a very Kwong-tsun, the Canton hardcourts champion.

is slower on the court and may The Hong Kong Volunteer De-find himself in difficulties when fence Corps have selected a fairly faced with Lai's clever drop shots; strong eleven to meet the Army in In a base-line duel Fincher should

gall of the Civil Service C. C. for The following have been select- right of entry into the Final Round of the Hong Kong Cricket Spr. W. Fogwill (Engineers); Spr. Club's Lawn Tennis Singles Cham- W. P. Lucy (-3/6) beat A. D. Hum- 51 seconds flat.

Open Singles (Fourth Round) (Stand Court).

Coy.) and E. C. Drown (M.G. Coy.). Club Handicap Doubles (Third Round) Linesman: Ptc. V. White (M.G. J. and G. Bodger (-4/6) v A. C. L Bowker and H. J. Armstrong (-2/6)

> (+1/6) or B. O'M Desne and G. E. R. Divett (-15) v H. R. Butters and D. MacDougall (-4/6).

TWO SENIOR LEAGUE SOCCER GAMES THIS AFTERNOON

There are two First Division League football matches down for decision this afternoon, South China "A" meeling the Lancs. at Caroline Hill, while Kowloon will enfertain the Navy on their own, ground.

Teddy Fincher, who has reachgood chance of entering the Semi-crown against the challenge of Final Round of the 1936 series Tsui Wai-pui, H. D. Rumjahn, SENSATIONAL PERFORMANCES this afternoon when he meets Lai Teddy Fincher or Lai Kwong-tsun.

At the conclusion of the match Kong could hardly walk off the Fincher is playing as well this court—in the ninth game of the year as he has ever done, but he final set he put his finger out Yesterday's Results Open Singles (Fourth Round)

A. Rumjahn (holder) beat Paul Kong 2-6, 7-5, 6-4. Club Handican Doubles (Second Round) G. W. Sewell and H. J. Armstrons

(-15.2) beat E. Bathurst and A. T. Lay (-15) 7-5, 6-2. Club Handicap Singles (Fourth Round) M. Paga (-15.2) beat V. R. Gordon (ser.) 6-2, 7-5.

Rumjahn was kept on the move

phreys (-4/6) 10-8, 6-4. C. L. Bowker (scr.) beat Round).

MEN'S DOUBLES BADMINTON

Recreio Junior Lose To Saint's Senior

Club de Recreio juniors were defeated by 5 games, to 4 by St. Andrew's seniors in the Men's Doubles Badminton League at the St. Andrew's Church Hall last

Andrew's "A") lost to H. A. Barros and N. Beltrao 17-21 and NUU records. lost to B. Gosano and J. Gon-

lost to A. E. Kevier and E. F. Fincher and H. Kew (St. Adolph Kiefer, of Chicago, chalkbest Barros and Beltrao 21-9 crossed the finish line in 1:32.7. beat Gosano and Gonsalves .. 21-1 best Xavier and Remedios .. 21-4

best Gossno and Gonsalves .: 21-15

are taking a course under his in-but two gained from 4 to 12 the progress of the experiment are Kowloon Tong ... 21 3 19 49 104 6 American records for the event. IS and S. Home: 19 1 13 34 148 2 Associated Press.

RUMJAHN LUCKY TO WIN

BRILLIANT PASSING SHOTS CHAMPION CHANGES TACTICS AND

THEN BEATS EXHAUSTED OPPONENT (By "Base-Line")

DAUL KONG, veteran Chinese Davis Cup player, played brilliant tennis yesterday at the H.K.C.C. to extend Sirdar Rumjahn, the holder, to 2-6, 7-5, 6-4 in the quarter-finals of the Colony Lawn Tennis Doubles Championship.

At times he gave an inspired exhibition, and when he secured a 3-1 lead in the final set it looked as if there was going to be another major upset. Lack of stamina, and that only, however, caused his downfall after he had saved one match point.

Rumjahn was passed time and again with ridiculous ease when he attempted to storm the net and it was only a belated change of tactics against a very tired and less steadier opponent that saw him win by the narrowest possible margin. As against J. Tavares in an earlier round, he was lucky to win.

Kong, of whom no one thought much following an uncommonly easy entry into the last eight, showed perfect control on both hands, the majority of his shots being within inches of the base-line, while his volleying was quite as good as anything seen in this year's series. He was, however, uncertain overhead and was again apt to be careless when presented with a perfect

throughout as the result of perfectly placed base-line shots, but WORLD AQUATIC he was always safer away from MARK EQUALLED the net-I was again given reason to believe that his eyes are BY PETER FICK not nearly as good as they once werer He played a lion-hearted game, despite having all the luck 100 Yards Free Style against him, but I very much In 51 Seconds doubt whether he will retain his

IN N.A.A.U. MEET

Chicago, April 2.

Cutting through the water at tremendous speed, Peter Fick, of New York, equalled the fastest competitive 100-yard free style in history here to-night.

The New York entrant amazed the great crowd attending the national Amateur Athletic Union championships when, in the semifinal heat of the 100-yards free style, he was officially clocked at

The same time for the same Thompson (+1/6) 6-4, 9-7. (Third event, a world's record. was chalked up for the first time at Ann Arbor, Michigan, in June 1927 by the sensational Johnny Weissmuller, at that time representing the Illinois A.C.

More Records Fall

Three other records have been shattered during the present AAU meet. They are:

Women's 100-yards free style, Claudia Echert, Chicago, 1:2.2, a new senior women's AAA re-

300-yard medley event for wo-A. S. Bliss and M. Weill (St men, Katherine Rawls, of Miami Beach, Fla., 4:6.3, new American

Other records fell as the meet In the 150-Yard backstroke event

ed up a new world mark when he

And More Fall

In the 400 Yards free style event lost to Barros and Beltrao .. 10-21 for women the Washington A.C., team of Seattle was the winner in 4:13.4, a new American record.

The 300 Yards individual medley was won by John Higgins, of

Golf Professional's Interesting Experiment A golf professional in Kentucky hour's physical exercises, they night's training, says Miss Diana best Zavier and Remedies .. 21-8

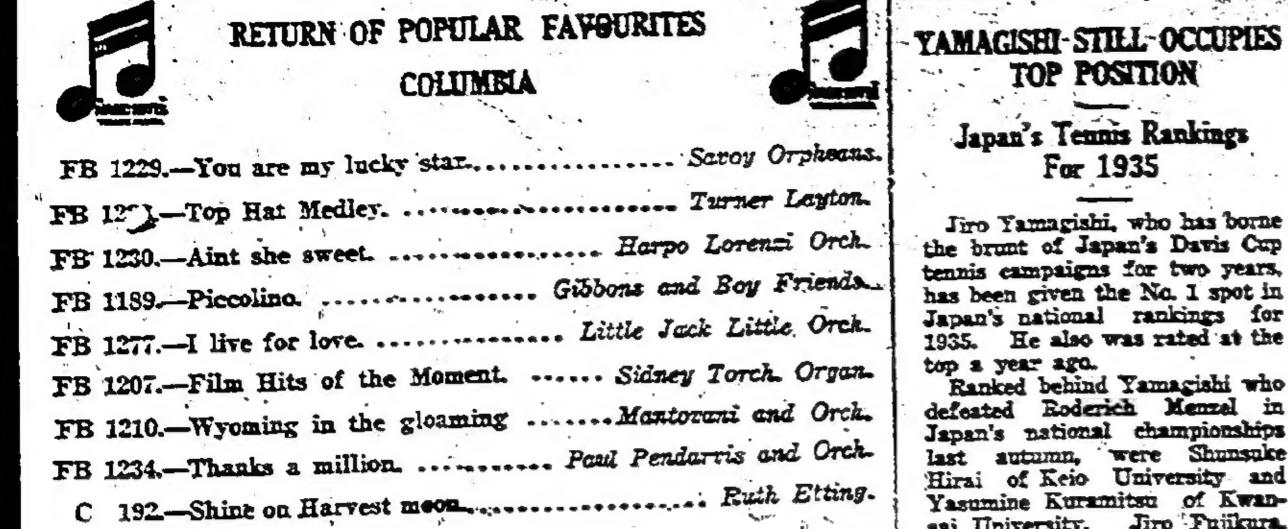
mastered in six months, by voting two hours a day on six and three on putting.

holds the view that golf can be work indoors or out, according to Fishwick in the New-Chronicle. the weather, two on woods, two on A freeze-up then confined them the LEAGUE TABLE TO DATE of the weather, two on short irons, to indoor practice for two weeks, Eliot Hall "A" . 20 19 1 128 16 38

test his contention, nine men selected from all classes of the dent gets work on all clubs. On down and concentration better St. John's 19 9 10 81 90 18 chant from Miami Beach, won the community, whose average scores Fridays they check up their pro- held when no flight of the ball can Fire Brigade ... 20 8 12 67 101 16 100 Yards breast stroke in 1:18.6. in play hovered from 94 to 105, gress by playing 18 holes. All be followed. Periodical reports V. R. C. 18 4 14 49 95 8 She beat both the meet and the

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last autumn, were Shunsuke

Hirai of Keio University and

Yasumine Kuramitsu of Kwan-

sai University. Jiro Fujikura,

member of the 1935 Davis Cup

team, was ranked fourth.

The Kowloon Cricket Club will meet Lieut. C. C. Garthwaite's Services eleven in a two-day match on Friday and Saturday, commencing at 11 a.m. on both days on the Kowloon C.C. ground.

The following will represent Lieut. Garthwaite's eleven: Lieut. C. C. Garthwaite (Army), thers. Capt. L. J. Walch (Army), Capt. D. W. Persse (Army), Lieut. J. P. Williams (Army), Lieut. E. M. Dawson, Lieut. H. de B. Pritchard (Army), Lieut. G. V. Prowse (Navy), Lieut. M. R. Branwell (Navy).

BROTHERS AGAINST BROTHERS

Interesting Golf Challenge Match

"SIXSOME" SUGGESTED BUT IMPROBABLE

(By "FAIR FIELD") London, March 1. Another interesting golf challenge match has been arranged. This time it is a family affair-

brothers against brothers, all West Country born. A challenge issued by the brothers S. Easterbrook of Knowle (Bristol), the man who won, the Ryder Cup match for Britain a Southport three years ago and A. Easterbrooks, of Exeter, the West of England champion, has

Charles and Ernest Whitcombe. Why Not A "Secsome"?

been accepted by the brothers

The match will be played over 36 holes on the Exeter course. It should be a good thing for the Whitcombes, but it would be still better if the suggestion of Charles that the match should be made a "sixsome" were adopted.

This arrangement would inchude Reginald Whitecombe, who would complete a trio of brothers difficult for any similar combination to beat

At the moment, however, it is not certain whether Cyril Easterbrook will be able to join his bro-

SMALL UNITS CRICKET



the most scientific beavyweight boxing champion the world has ever known, predicts a big future for Joe Louis, the sensational "Brown Bomber."

VOLUNTEER SPORTS MEETING

Infantry Win At Tug-Of-War

As a result of their win over the Corps Signals at the Volunteer Headquarters yesterday, the Static Machine Gun Battalion qualified to meet the Corps Infantry in the final of the tug-of-war event which is being held in connection with the annual sports meeting which will take place at Sookunpoo on Saturday, April 18.

The Static Machine Gun Battalion were awarded a walk-over New South Wales would The final of the Small Units by the Mobile Section, and the Cricket Competition is to be play- Corps Infantry, which received a represented by six players-2 Lieut. K. J. Harper ed off on Tuesday next, April 14, walk-over from the Coast De-preponderance which recalls the (Naval) and Lieut F. D. Howie on the Kowloon Cricket Club fences Corps, yesterday defeated days immediately before the war ground, commencing at 10 a.m. the Corps Signals easily in two when a New South Wales side, The umpire will be Lieut the The finalists are the Headquarter pulls. They were not given any with Trumper Macartney, Collins, Clegg-Hill and the Wing, East Lancashire Regiment, resistance, although the Signals Bardsley, Cotter, and Kelleway D. K. Buchanan-and "B" Company, Royal Welch pulled nine men, instead of the was practically an Australian regulation number of eight.

AUSTRALIA'S NEXT TEST SIDE EX-TASMANIAN A CERTAINTY BRADMAN'S STEEL-SHAFTED BAT (By "Leighton")

picking.

following team:

The Probable Team

D. G. Bracman (S.A.)

S. J. McCabe (N.S.W.).

J. H. Fingleton (N.S.W.).

W. A. Oldfield (N.S.W.).

W. J. O'Reilly (N.S.W.).

E. L. McCormick (V.ic.).

L. P. O'Brien (Vic.) (twelfth

Bradman Uses New Bat

that there was such "an imple-

Now he has hit up a dashing

155 for the South Australian

the moment he refuses to say any-

It is significant, however, that

he has sent one of his favourite

bats to Sydney to have a steel-

No Order Given For

Breaking-Up

(By Major R. Heckstall-Smith)

and that she will not race again.

It may be assumed, therefore,

that, at some future date. Bri-

tannia will fall into the hands of

At no time in her long career

(she was built in 1893) has Bri-

racing yacht in the world-been

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Doherty

(By LEIGHTON)

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London, March. 17.

the shipbreakers.

is to-day.

OF BRITANNIA

give the invention a fair test.

shafted handle inserted.

So Don Bradman has used

steelshafted bat after all:

ment" in existence: . ..

C. V. Grimmett (S.A.).

L. S. Darling (Vic.).

C. L. Badcock (S.A.).

A. G. Chipperfield (N.S.W.).

W. A. Brown (N.S.W.).

be the same as that which won the fourth Test in South Africa, Gene Tunney, above, probably with two additions. the other is C. L. Badcock, the young ex-Tasmanian, who hit 325 for South Australia against Victoria and practically won the match off his own bat.

Badcock is, I imagine, a cer-AMERICA HAS MORE THAN tainty if he keeps his form. This would give Australia the HER FAIR SHARE

London, March 28.

IT augurs well for interest in the Test series

at the end of this year, that already Australians

are occupied with the delightful game of team-

between England and Australia, which begin

The Melbourne "Herald" suggests that Australia's team will

One is Bradman, as captain, in place of Victor Richardson;

Grand National Brings in Over \$2,899,000

New York, March 27. Citizens of the United States who bought tickets on the Irish hospital sweepstakes won a total of approximately \$2,899,600 out of the Grand National Steeple-

Americans held five tickets on Reynoldstown, the winner; four on Ego, who finished second; five on Bachelor Prince who pulled in Each ticket on Reynoldstown pays \$150,000; each on Ego \$75,000; and each on Bachelor Prince \$50,000. Total prizes this year .were \$7,268,770.—Associat-

weeks ago he ridiculed the idea DARK BLUES.

team against a country POPULAR -It will be interesting to see what his comment will be, but at

AMERICAN POLE-VAULTER IN FINE FORM thing other than that he must

(By "FAIR FIELD") London, March 1.

The point-scoring system for inter-college athletics at Oxford may be revised, Bevil Rudd tells The attempt to encourage the new field events - javelin, discus and pole-vault-has ended by putting too much of a premium on them.

Although four points are given for a win as against five for the other 10 events, the fact that no. points are scored for second place It was authoritatively stated at in the three events makes then

Buckingham Palace yesterday that To score four points to your no order has been given for the opponent's none is better than breaking up of the King's racing five against his three. Three yacht, Britannia. The only depoints for first and one for second cision so far arrived at is that appears to be the most satisfacshe will not be fitted out this year tory compromise.

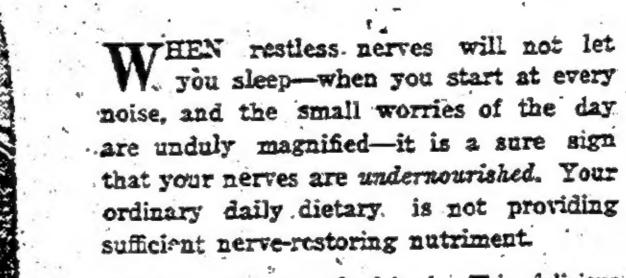
Promising Talent

In spite of severe frost, and 2 spate of college fixtures, the Inter-College competition - has been tannia—the most magnificent a big success, and not for a long time has there been so much keenin more perfect condition than she ness. Undoubtedly, many promising athletes have been "won" for the O.U.A.C.

The pole-vaulting of W. H. El-ANOTHER LARGE kins is one of the high spots in Oxford's improvement. The American won against Cambridge in 1934 with 11ft. He can now Manchester City Secure do 12ft or more. On March 14 he will be against F. R. Webster (Cambridge), who won last year with 12ft 61/2in - an English native record. Elkins is also one of the best long jumpers at Oxford.

of the season and the biggest Glentoran, the Irish club, in 1933. since Portsmouth transferred Al- This is the fourth £10,000 footlen to Aston Villa 18 months ago ball deal in the history of the for £11,000 was completed a short game, the other two, in addition while ago when Blackpool agreed to Allen, being when Arsenal paid to let Manchester City have their £10,350 to Bolton Wanderers for Irish international forward, Peter David Jack in 1928, and when Doherty, for that figure. The deal Chelsea, in 1930, gave \$10,000 for was a record for both clubs. Hugh Gallacher, then with New-Doherty joined Blackpool from castle United.

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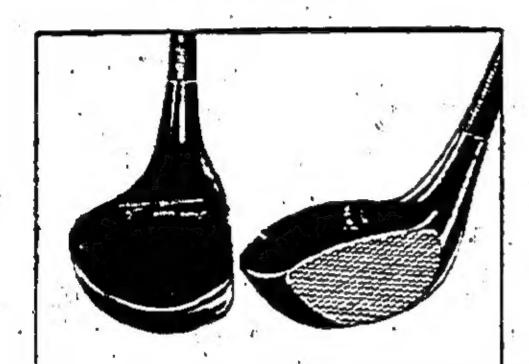
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Brighter Days For The Railways

A number of causes combine to the annual meetings of the posed of contingents of all of increasing revenue, but also posals. principal effect of which will be armaments. to enable the railway companies FRANCE PLAYING SAFE: ried through to the House of bere earlier in the evening, to a large reduction in their led in the same train. assessment to local rates. Sir M. Titulescu had a conversa- baikal and Vladivostok regions. Their every gesture is called ment of the railway outlook. Rumania and Soviet Russia are this speech to the shareholders believed to have been thoroughly wards. Chance of taking Vladivostok soldier is not exposed to "de-when Germany strikes east-featist" propaganda, nor ever allowed to think that his did not disguise the fact that discussed. any full recovery of railway prosperity must be a slow process, but it took a hopeful view of the immediate future. In Entente, which is receiving special February, which show an im-further. the four great companies.

claimed that the Act of Parliament provides for the return of the money, and he cast upon the Government the onus of finding the ways and means, while offering all help in that process. Even so, railway revenues will not yet be adequate to the full restoration of wage cuts claimed by the workers. Most of the companies are drawing upon from conditions in South Wales. in which a large part of its Horne holds very strongly that British Wireless Service. South Wales has "an irresistible claim to special considera- EXPLANATION OF tion in connection with the establishment of any works of national concern."

VETERAN GOES STRONG

Graf Zeppelin For S. America

Friedrichshafen, To-day. The veteran airship Graf

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ORGANISATION OF PEACE

International Police Force

FRENCH MEMORANDUM DETAILS

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Paris. To-day. The second part of the French Memorandum, it is learned, will be addressed to the League of Nations and entitled "The Organisation of peace in the future," containing an exhaustive political and economic scheme for the reorganisation of Europe.

In four regions, apparently the Danube Mediterranean, Powers should conclude mutual assistance pacts, the arbitration to that. procedure being based on the protocol of 1924.

The idea of a "Peace Army" an The 12 months with the latter's disposal — has been ious. which they deal were a period re-mentioned in the French pro-

largely as a consequence of the that this plan has its origin in M. War, a breakdown of national on the territory of its probable sent Communist unit under Hsiao partial restoration of wage Briand's idea of a European government in Central Europe enemies and probable allies Keh and Ho Lung is not so forcuts. The Government passed Union and, materialising, would perhaps extending to France, alike. To this end, it still hands midable as the units now in two Acts of Parliament, a permit the general limitation of reaction against revolution, with out honorary ranks to foreign North-western Szechuen.

ments at a lower interest rate. Geneva last night, in the company first round or two. Finally the rating appeals car- of Mr. Anthony Eden, who arrived Of the future of the Far East,

stantial promise that all the ter M. Titulescu, and the Soviet power is regarded as ultimately army in the world is so lionised railways will be found entitled Ambassador. M. Potemkin, travel- inevitable, Russia's prodigious as this "invincible," "darling of danger, however, they can eas-

Robert Horne, as chairman of ten with M. Flandin on Monday, has, it is felt here, turned the "heroic," and the Government the Great Western Railway, has in the course of which the intro- Japanese thrust south-west- Press — the sole Press here been given the first epportunity duction of compulsory military wards. of dealing with the three main service in Austria and the imfactors that go to the improve-pending negotiations between Tokyo letting slip, the golden being outlawed, your Russian

It is believed that M. Flandin his opinion 1936 should yield attention in the French peace still more favourable results. plan, must avoid any new com-Strong support is given to that plications in Central Europe in belief by the traffic returns for order not to antagonise Italy any ciliate the peasants (and, to win in that "final struggle" on Chinese field guns and in-

able to recover the amounts this reason France, it is believed, foreign working class. Sir Robert Horne is not found believed to be favoured by Signor pedient, because Bolshevism on l among the doubters. He Mussolini.-Trans-Ocean Service.

BRITAIN'S COST OF LIVING

Pending Revision Of Index Number

London, To-day. .The Minister of Labour, Mr. reserves for the dividends they Ernest Brown, announced at Compay, and many millions of capi- mons' question time yesterday tal go without any return at all, that the revision of the basis of The revenues of the Great the Ministry's cost of living index number, in relation to which wage adjustments are made over interests is concentrated. a wide field of industry, is to be There is improvement to record undertaken. The comprehensive in that area and a happier time enquiry necessary could not be is in prospect, but Sir Robert calculated on the existing basis.-

TO-DAY'S **CARTOON**

The Lantern Of O-Bon

THE O-BON is a memorial festival which has been observed by Japanese Buddhist families ever since the introduction of Buddhism into Japan about 1300 years ago. It is a 3-day reunion of the living with Zeppelin will inaugurate its 3-day reunion of the living with eighth year of trans-Atlantic the spirits of the dead, and the flights on Easter Monday, when purpose of the festival is to perit will take off for the first petuate the memory of ancestors flight to South America this and to stimulate ancestor worship and filial piety. At nights bonfires were originally used to guide The Hindenburg will again the spirits of the dead and footland at the airport of Lowen-steps of the living, but in more thal as the new airport, Frank- recent times huge lanterns have fort-on-Main, has not yet been been substituted. The largest of completed. Lowenthal is near these O-BON lanterns, is the one Friedrichshafen, but Frankfort- at Suwa, placed there before the on-Main will be the future base shrine about 60 years ago, and of all the Zeppelin services. - still being used. It is 25 feet high and 15 feet in diameter.

SOVIET PERFECTS ITS WAR-MACHINE

RED ARMY IS SYMBOL OF RESTLESS IDEALISM

APPEAL AS SORT OF "POLITICAL BRIDGEHEAD"

(By A. T. Cholerton)

survive, always, have a world

The Army Lionised

is daily plastered with their pic-

DEADINESS for War is now the defensive is a contradiction the key issue here in in terms, and "raceless" nationpolitical alism a very precarious thing in Moscow, and the strategy of Bolshevism at home Russia. and abroad is entirely adjusted Boishevism must, if it is

Within three years Red Rus- winning-post seemingly in sight-sia expects to have to fight Ger- Stalin and his non-Slav partners many, and, still believing that in dictatorship know that to give more than usual interest international police force com- England and France will also be. The Red Army, symbol mem-fighting Germany in the same this restless idealism, has none British railway companies this bers States of the League and at war, she expects to be victor- the less now become about as stated last wight that Care The 12 months with the letter display.

additional expenditure. It is stated in political circles something like the Thirty Years sort of political "bridge-head" munists. He stated that the preanybody fighting anybody, and Red leaders, and still calls its the British and Soviet systems crack regiments "British Pro-showing considerable concern to obtain capital for improve- Paris: M. Flandin left for probably alone surviving the letariat." "German Proletariat." over the Communist situation in land so forth.

Moscow is not so sure. Whilst | Constantly flood-lit with offi-Lords hold out the most sub- The Rumanian. Foreign Minis- another Russo-Japanese duel for cially-propagated enthusiasm, no effort in fortifying the Trans-child of revolution."

But Moscow cannot imagine tures at work and play. Pacifism

On The Defensive

some extent, the debris of the which he learns to sing about in valided home. He was Comprovement since January 1 of It appears that the Quai d'Orsay Russian intelligentsia), and to the Soviet National Anthem. modore-in-Charge, Hong Kong, in over half a million sterling for is still inclined to support Italy win over Liberal and Young still called "The International!" 1926, and was placed on the reas far as possible, in order to Conservative politicians and in- He is even led to expect a tired list in 1931. He was present There has been doubt ensure her co-operation in the tellectuals in foreign lands by semi-miraculous collapse of the in charge of the Destroyer Flotilla whether the railways would be forthcoming negotiations. For momentarily "letting down" the field armies of the enemy when during the Battle of Jutland. In

the money has been distributed protest against compulsory mili- vinism on the defensive"; but the walls of the modern capital- of the Legion of Honour and a in rebates to various industries, tary service in Austria, which is this is a mere temporary ex- ist Jericho.

YUNNAN

Another Invasion By Reds

COMMUNISTS IN

CANTON SHOWS CONCERN

[From Our Own Correspondent] Canton, To-day.

Military circles here are unable to confirm the Peiping report that the Communists in Yunnan have occupied Ma Lung. 165 miles north-east of Yunnanfu, although a previous dispatch from the provincial capital stated that the Reds invaded Yunnan again after being driven from Kweichow by a superior Nanking force.

It appears that the Reds are also attacking Kuk Ching, 20. miles east of Ma Lung. However, Kuk Ching is heavily garrisoned by the provincial forces under General Ho Lung, Commander-in-Chief of the Yunnan troops.

A high Staff Officer who recent ious.

After that Moscow foresees an epoch of disorder in Europe its international appeal as a sufficient to deal with the Com-

Government leaders, here are Yunnan, which is an integral part of the South-west. General Lung Yun is a supporter of the Southwest policy.

There are about 86 foreigners take a train southward to

OBITUARY

Vice-Adm. A. J. B. Stirling

job is "dirty even if neces-London, To-day. sary." Instead, like Hitler's . The death has occurred of Vice-These facts, rather than any men, he is taught to believe Admiral A. J. B. Stirling .- Reuter. profound change of heart in the that, owing to some intrinsic Vice-Admiral Stirling served in Kremlin, explain the present sus- superiority-in Germany racial, H.M.S. Barfleur in China during pension of class-war tactics in- here social - he is the salt of the Boxer rising in 1900, when he side Russia, the attempt to con- the earth, and must necessarily was severely wounded in an attack the trumpets of the Comintern addition to a Companionship of already overpaid in rates, since will not join in the Little Entente The party line is now "Chau- really blare their loudest under the Bath (1916), he was an Officer member of the Order of St. Anne, second class.—Reuter.

"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley

(Continued On Page 10)





Dolores del Rio plays the leading feminine role in "I Live For Love," now being screened at the Queen's Theatre.

OPENCER TRACY will be co-started date. Wisely, too, he sur-Macdonald in "San Francisco," with direction by W. S. van Dyke.

Among the artists who have been ing of their success.

James Stewart, who had his first screen chance with Margaret Sullavan in a Universal release in "Next Time the picture is improved because he we Love," has some splendid parts has realised the value of sound in many M.G.M. releases, the first support and not allowed too much being in "Rose Marie."

The dry comedian who by his quaint voice and witty patter hastendeared himself to the world-Pete of other people gets him into the Smith-is continuing with many more headlines as "The Milkman who Sport subjects including polo, through Knocked out the Middle-weight M.G.M.

Charley Chase is in the new Patsy Kelly-Pert Kelton comedies at the the place of the late Thelma Todd.

Universal certainly has a "winner" in the picture "The Magnificent promise to be Edward Arnold: and Sally Ellers and Jimmy Dunn Lombard and Preston Foster in "Love touch of pathos in the story and Before Breakfast."

Winifred Shotter is at last in Hollywood. She quietly slipped in and was given a role in "Petticoat

has started work with "I Loved Soldier" co-starring Marlene Dietrich a performance the equal of the and Charles Boyer.

News has now arrived that "The Country Doctor," starring the famous "Dionne Quintuplets" is likely to break all box-office records. Everyone will want to see these adorable Jenn Hersholt as "Dr. steals acting honours, as luckily the babies liked him so much they willingly shared in the best

Marian Davies is working on Hearts Divided" with Dick Powell and Charles Ruggles, while Joan Blondell and Joe Brown are on the same lot in "Gentleman from Big-

Herbert Brennon is directing Noah Beery again in a British film. is the first time he has done so since the memorable "Beau Geste."

It is good to hear that the undoubted ability of Brian Donlevy is being appreciated by the studios, and he has been quickly promoted from small parts (which he made outstande ing by sheer personality) to a featured role with Claire Trever in "I Will Be Faithful."-DIANE.

HAROLD LLOYD MAKES NEW HIT IN "THE MILKY

LILY PONS, WORLD-FAMED SOPRANO, DELIGHTS IN FILM DEBUT

WARNER BAXTER SHINES AGAIN IN SPLENDID MUSICAL, "KING OF BURLESQUE"

TAROLD Lloyd came second; only to Charlie Chaplin in the silents, but, unlike the genius of the screen, when ticated, uproariously funny due for high-brow Revue and in- amazing sucess on the Contin- farce, "The Milky Way" — the best work he has given us to

with Clark Gable and Jeanette rounds himself with an exceptionally fine cast consisting of Adolphe Menjou and wife Veree Teasdale, Helen Mack, William given new contracts with M.G.M. will Gargan. Lionel Stander (rebe found Nelson Eddy, Edna May membered in "The Scoundrel") Oliver, Rosalind Russell, Jean Harlow George Barbier, Dorothy Wiland Robert Taylor, all most deserv- son. Marjorie Gateson and others.

> Lloyd is content to be the central figure of a comedy team, but limelight on himself.

We find him as a mild milkman whose skill in ducking the blows Champion of the World.". Although the whole thing is a mistake, the boxer's manager decides to make Hal Roach Studio. Miss Kelton took money on it putting him in a series of faked fights, and then matching him against the cham-Jack Conway will direct "Elegance," pion, betting heavily on the latter. starring Joan Crawford and husband This is enough of the plot. but the dialogue is excellent, with a full share of amusing wisecracks.

The cast fit perfectly into their Obsession," starring Irene Dunne and respective roles and Lee McCarey's Robert Taylor. Their other big hits direction keeps, the story moving Binnie Barnes in "Sutters Gold," at a splendid pace, which is guaranteed to keep you laughing. You "Don't Get Personal," and Carole will appreciate the new gags, the the excellence of the whole cast. Not to be missed. (Queen's). "King Of Burlesque"

Twentieth Century-Fox have Fever" with Myrna Loy and Robert breathed new life into another of those back-stage musicals and managed to give a really worth-Henry""Bengal Lancer" Hathaway while show. Warner Baxter gives!

talkies arrived he set out to one he gave in "42nd Street" - first picture. She looks like a adapt himself to the new a Warner as clever and charming little girl, and is the possessor medium, not getting on very as ever. He really convinces us of an endearing personality, successfully till he took a story of the true worth of the stage fascinating accent and vivacity from "The Saturday Evening producer who marries a rich that charms more than actual Post" and produced an unsophis- widow, abandons low-brow burles- beauty. Already through her



Lovely Alice Faye sings, dances and romances in "King of Burlesque," which will be shown at the King's Theatre on Sunday.



Jane Withers, Pinky Tomlin and Rita Cansino are in "Paddy O'Day," which is now being shown at the King's Theatre.

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portunities for most of the actors the fact that Arlen and McNaughconcerned, especially Baxter, Jack ton have girls in ove with them, doubt if Oakie has ever had a "Ah, Wilderness") and Nydia better part and better dialogue. Westman. Alice Faye and sweet little Arline This play was first of all

take ft). Mona Barrie is a fasler, Herbert Mundin Paxton Sis-This is all that a "musical" should be, and the kind of picture Hollywood does superlatively well. De actress Jane Withers, you will like votees of this kind of film will her in this story of an Irish

cidentally provides employment

others — are cunningly introduced Bery! Mercer has played the part as various employees of Baxter of the mother in every producwho are given their chance in his tion. Dudley Digges and Nydia cinating villainess, and others acts as usual. The rest of the ters, Benny Baker and many more worn-out material. (King's.)

If you care for homely childmusical orphan's adventures in New York. (Continued On Page 11)

Lacknowledged greatest coloratura soprano, makes an instantaneous hit in this, her

ent and at the Metropolitan Opera House and the sale of gramophone records this little ? French girl has made a worldfamous reputation.

Until the scenario writers can think up a new subject we will ? have to be content with the kind always dished up to serve as introductions for opera stars, so be prepared for little that is new in "I Dream Too Much." The story tells how, as the wife of all poor composer, she sings his music so beautifully that she is forced into opera and he becomes just a star's husband. Resenting this, they quarrel, but are reconciled when she has the idea of making his opera into a highly successful musical. Then fame goes to his head- but no more of the story, I leave you to find out, as anyone who misses seeing and hearing Miss Pons is unwise. What freshness is missing from the plot is more than made up for in the delightful numbers of a light order and the marvellous rendition of the "Bell Song" from "Lakme." Miss Pons enters into her work with enthusiasm, and takes most of the success of the show upon her shoulders. The settings are beautiful (which we

Among the support Osgood Perting "The Duchess") are the best: I still think Henry Fonda can only play a farmer's boy and consequently miscast as the hisband. Esther Dale, Scotty Beckett and Lucien Littlefield with others, under the expert direction of John Cromwell, help to make the film debut of this fascinating "Pocket Soprano" an outstanding success. Not to be missed. (Alhambra).

have come to expect from R.K.O.)

and the stage numbers strikingly

executed.

"Rose Marie" The romantic Eddy-Macdonalo could not have received a better break than to be handed leading roles in Rudolph Friml's operetta "Rose Marie." Nelson. Eddy as the stalwart North-west Mountie and Jeanette as the Canadian girl are just what the cinema-fans ordered. This vehicle, which will be heartily welcomed, will be opening at the King's and Alhambra on the 18th. Don't miss it.

"Three Live Ghosts"

Much ado about three soldiers, listed in the War records as officially dead, who return to London and find difficulty in proving themselves mortal. One of them (Dick Arlen) is hiding out from a gaol term, which he believes awaits him in the United States. Another (Charles McNaughton) wants to be regarded as alive, but his mother (Beryl Mercer) insists he is not, because she has already collected the insurance money, and the third (Claud Allister) is The story is too good to tell not sure whether he is alive or here and it provides splendid op-not. Things are complicated by Cecilia Parker, Gremembered in

The "Star Turns" — Nick Long, (with Robert Montgomery) and Dirie Dunbar, Gareth Joplin and now again released by M.G.M. Westman hand out most of the cast make the most of rather

"Paddy O'Day"



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Indo-Chinas (Pref.), \$30 n.

Indo-Chinas (Def.) \$20 n.

Shells (Bearer) 90/71/2 n.

Antamoks \$2 b. \$2.05 sa.

Mining

Baguio Gold 25 ets. b., 26 ets. sa.

Benguet Consolidated \$18.10 n.

Benguet Exploration 20 cts. n.

Demonstration 64 cts. b., 661/2

Union Waterboats \$13 n.

H.K. Fire Ins. \$237 b.

Douglases \$36 n.

Balatocs \$21% n.

Big Wedge 26 cts. n.

Gold Creek 15 cts. n.

Gold River 7 cts. n.

Itogons \$1.05 n.

Salacot 14 cts. n.

Masbate 70 cts. n.

San Mauricio \$1 b.

Raubs \$111/4 n.

Kailan Mining Ad. 12/6 n.

Langkats (Single) Sh:\$10 n.

S'hai Exploration Sh.\$41/2 n.

Shanghai Loans Sh.\$4 n-

United Paracale 64 cts. b.

Docks, etc.

H.K. and K. Wharves \$92 n.

Providents (new) 20 cts. n.

New Engineering Sh.\$4 IL

Shanghai Docks Sh.\$90 n.

Cotton Mills

H.K. and W. Docks \$9 n.

Providents (old) \$1.15 b.

Hong Kew Sh.\$190 n.

Ewo Cottons Sh.\$81/4 b.

Zoong Sings Sh.\$12 n.

100% b.

Humphreys \$9 n

H.K. Realties \$5 n.

Chinese Estates \$82 n.

China Realties Sh.\$4 n.

China Debentures Sh.\$60 n.

H.K. Tramways \$10.40 6.

Peak Trams (old) \$7 n.

Peak Trams (new) \$3 n.

Yaumati Ferries \$19 n.

C. Lights (old) \$10.40 b.

C. Lights (new) \$7.35 n.

Sandakan Lights \$8.30 n.

Telephones (new) \$9 n.

China Buses Sh.\$111/4 n.

Malabon Sugars \$8.40 n.

Telephones (old) \$25.15 se.

Singapore Tractions 21/- n.

Singapore Tractions Pref. 28/

Industrials

Cald., Macg. (Ord.) Sh.\$191/2 n.

Cald., Mecg. (Pref.) Sh.\$15 n.

H.K. Electrics \$511/2 b.

Macao Electrics \$20 n.

Star Ferries \$84 n.

Public Utilities

Wing On Textiles Sh.\$25 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H.K. Lands \$33 b. \$331/2 82

Shanghai Lands Sh.\$18 n.

H.K. and S. Hotel \$41/2 b. and 82.

H.K. Lands 4% Debentures

Metropolitan Lands Sh. \$10 n

Venz: Goldfield \$31/2 n.

LX.L. \$1.50 b.

cts. sa.

Bank of East Asia \$73 n.

Insurances

International Assce. Sh\$31/4 n.

Shipping

The following was the list

ocal share quotations issued

H.K. Banks \$1,555 n.

£31 n.

Canton Ins. \$275 n.

Unions Ins. \$575 sa.

HONG KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION

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ALEO up to date SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES in Hong Kong, 24th February, 1936.

HONG KONG SAVINGS BANK

The Business of the above Bank is conduct-al by the HUNG KONU AND BHANGHAY BANKING CURPURATION. Bules may be FOR THE HONG KING AND SHANGHAS BANKING CORPUBATION. V. M. GRAYBURN, Hong Kong, 24th February, 1936.

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, LTD.

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G. KISHINAMI, Manager. Hong Kong, 10th March, 1936.

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A. BRHARLEY, Hong Kong, 1st January, 1935.

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Wheat Damage In Tornadoes

NEW CROPS LIKELY-TO-DRAG

Messra. White, Weld and Company, New York Correspondents for Messrs. S. E. Levy and Company, report:-

"Stocks:-We would maintain trading position at the range of 158 to 164 in Dow Jones industrial purchasing motor, accessories, utility, electric-equipcopper shares Business done:-1, recessions. 570.00 hares.

"Wheat:-Damage so far has been confined to the South-Western dustbowl New-crops are likely to drag lower unless the drought spreads seriously. Total sales:-18,225,000 bushels.

"Cotton:-We expect a narrowing of the difference between old and new crops, owing to the sale of Government cotton. The newcrop situation is now becoming serious.

BERLIN SHARE MARKET

Berlin, to-day.-Although the undertone of the share market was friendly, buyers were few yesterday. Call money stood at securities were quiet, prices being little affected .- Trans-Ocean Service.

REICHSMARK QUOTATION

Berlin, To-day. - The Reichs-Travellers the use of its "Travellers mark was quoted yesterday with-Cheques" and Letters of Credit and out guarantee at: New York. 40.31; Paris, 610; Amsterdam, 59.245; and London, 12.30. Paris quoted the Pound sterling at 75.02 to 75.05, and the U.S. dollar at 15.1625 to 15.165 -Trans-Ocean Service.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF

HEAD OFFICE: 15. Gracechurch Street, London, E.C.S. Authorised Capital ..£3,000,000 Subscribed Capital .. 1,800,000 1,050,000 Paid-up Capital Fund & Rest 1,247,830 BANKERS: England & Midland Bank, Ltd. BRANCHES: New York Penang Port Louis (Mauritius Rangoon Shanghai Simla Kusis Lipis Kusis Lumpur Kusnien (Pahang)

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og application. R KENNEDY. Queen's Road, Central." Hong Eong, 24th July, 1985.

THE SHANGHAI COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK LIMITED

(Incorporated in China)

Capital paid up\$5,000,000. Reserves\$7,300,000. Capital Savings Dept. \$500,000. Reserve Savings Dept. \$600,000.

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FINANCE AFFAIRS IN BRITAIN

London, To-day.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer made a statement on the Transaction of Public Business on restriction of foreign issues in an answer to a Commons question FRIDAY, SATURDAY and MONyesterday. He announced the appointment of a Committee, DAY, the 10th, 11th. & 13th. whose functions would be purely advisory, with which he would April, 1936. (Easter Holidays). consult from time to time, both generally upon the scope of the to-restriction and upon particular applications. The Chairman would be Lord Kennet, Minister of Health from 1931 to 1935, who, as Sir Hilton Young, formerly undertook several important financial missions for the Government. The six other members include the Deputy Governor of the Bank of England and other leading personalities in the City of London.

Kingdom.

Foreign Lending

In accordance with the an-

nouncement made some time ago

by the Chancellor the Committee

sets and so to minimise fluctua-

In reply to supplementary ques-

The new capital issues in the

first quarter of the year totalled

£60,611,000, compared with £41,-

598,000 and £24,942,000 respec-

tively in the corresponding per-

The Board of Trade average of

wholesale prices was the same in

March as in the preceding month;

cent. compared with March 1935.

CONVERSION IN

JAPAN

New National Bond

Issue

The Minister of Finance an-

nounces that 373,000,000 yen

worth of 5 per cent. national

bonds due for repayment in the

31/4 per cent. 12-year bonds from

May 1, the amount of which may

yen, with the issue price at 98.

The bonds have been underwrit-

ten by the Bank of Japan. -

Tokyo, To-day.

-British Wirelesss Service.

iods of 1935 and 1934.

with the restrictions would

tions in exchange.

main with himself.

triction of foreign issues. He had strains. In considering what Stanley. not at present in mind any radical foreign long-term financing the alteration of the present policy. country should undertake the In a memorandum issued in Committee will have regard not

connection with the appointment only to the general economic situaof the Committee, the history of tion, but to the volume of capital the restriction, since the Chan-likely to be available, to the state cellor first made his appeal in of exchanges and to the different June 1932 in connection with the kinds of pressure to which sterlconversion operations, is traced, ing might be exposed. and the main considerations which work are set out

LOCAL DOLLAR ADVANCES

Silver Prices Rise

1/8, opening on demand this morn- loans, and in this connection ac- Directors and Auditors. ing at 1/3%d.

ed at 19 15/16. The London on New York cross- tee will be expected to give due

rate was quoted at 5-U.S. weight to the important consider tors. \$4.94 13/16, as compared with f- ation that capital required for de-U.S.\$4.951/4, while the New York velopment at home should not be London cross-rate was restricted by excessive lending quoted at &-U.S.\$4.94%, as com- abroad. pared with £-US.\$4.951/4.

SOYA BEANS IN ENGLAND

Customs Drawback Notified

London, To-day. The Treasury, on the recommendation of the Import Duties tions, Mr. Neville Chamberlain Advisory Committee, has issued gave an unqualified assurance that an order authorising the allow-the ultimate responsibility and control of advice in connection Shanghai Cottons (old) Sh.\$70 ance of drawback Customs duties as from April 9 in respect soya beans used in the manufac-

ture of: (1) soya bean oil, not including mixtures of the soya bean with other oils:

(2) certain soya bean flour. It is explained that the export trade of soya bean oil and flour is adversely affected by the present duty on imported soya beans -Reuter.

Canton Ices \$1% n Cements \$91/91/2 82. H.K. Ropes \$41/2 n. Stores, etc. Dairy Farms \$191/2 n. Watsons \$3% S. Lane, Crawfords \$6% n. Mackintoshs \$5 n. Sinceres \$2 n. Wm. Powells 70 cts. n.

Wing On (H.K.) \$55 n. Miscellaneous -Entertainments \$2% sa S. C. Enterprises \$1.35 n. Macso "Greyhounds" \$2 n. Constructions (old) \$134 n. Constructions (new) 50 cts. Vibro Piling \$4 n. G\$Bda. be issued totalling 381,000,000 Ch. Govt. 5% 1920 94% 1

H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 5% prem. H.K. Govt 31/2% Loan par. IL. Wallace Harpers \$4 n-

NEW ADVERTISEMENT

BANK HOLIDAYS.

IN Accordance with Government Ordinance, the EXCHANGE BANKS will be CLOSED for the Hong Kong, 7th April, 1936.

ST. STEPHENS COLLEGE. STANLEY.

The Chancellor said that he! It is pointed out that the prim- THE SUMMER TERM begins was sensible of the loyalty with any object of the present restric- April 14th. New students which those concerned had fol-tions on foreign lending has been should attend on that day. For lowed the general wishes which he to protect the sterling exchange prospectus, for boarders and dayhad expressed regarding the res- against audden and dislocating boys, apply St. Stephen's College,

Hong Kong, April 2, 1936.

THE HONG KONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The latter considerations would TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. will guide the Committee in its not generally apply to loans, I that the ONE HUNDRED the proceeds of which would con-AND SIXTEENTH ORDINARY currently be used to finance addi-MEETING of Shareholders in thetional exports from the United Company will be held at the office of the Company. Queen's Building, Victoria, Hong Kong, The Committee will bear in mind on WEDNESDAY. the

the desirability that foreign lend- April, 1936, at noon, for the puring should turn to British-owned pose of receiving a Report of the enterprises abroad rather than to Directors, together with a State-The local dollar has advanced foreign Government or municipal ment of Accounts, and re-electing count should be taken of the treat- The TRANSFER BOOKS of the-

Silver prices rose 1/16, both ment accorded to the British-own-Company will be CLOSED from-"spot" and "forward" being quot-ed enterprises by the foreign the 16th April to the 22nd April. country concerned. The Commit-1936, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Direct

H. DA LUZ,

Secretary. Hong Kong 8th April, 1986.

PUBLIC AUCTION

should give favourable consideration to sterling issues by a coun- FIHE Undersigned have received. try within the sterling area, I instructions to sell by Public where the loan is required to in- Auction crease that country's sterling as-

Thursday, 9th April 1936 commencing at II a.m. at their Sales Room, 4 Duddell Street 2 Sets of Engineers Transits.

2 Sets of Engineers Compasses. 1 Box of Chains, 300 feet long. 1 Out Board Motor. 2 cases Torch Light Lenses.

1 case Violin. 5 Fire Extinguishers.

5 pieces Tapestry.

A quantity of Electric Brushes: and Combs, Massage Apparatus, Khaki Coats and Breeches, Boots. Empty Cartridge Cases. etc. but showed an increase of 5.5 per

Household Furniture.

Terms: Cash on Delivery LAMMERT BROS. Auctioneers. Hong Kong, 8th April, 1936.

RAW RUBBER PRICES

Latest Quotations From Singapore

Messrs. H. B. Joseph and Co. the following have received financial year 1936-37 will be quotations in Straits currency convertible into a new issue of from Singapore for Raw Enbber-Spot 26. 38 Up 1/8 b. May/June 26 % b.; Unchanged. July/Septembe 27 1/8 b., Un-

> changed. October/December changed. Market: Quiet.

To-morrow. - "Joan Of Arc."













3A, Wyndham St.

SENTENCES REDUCED

Appeal Court Case MAGISTRATE'S DECISION UPHELD

"The whole circumstances of, or connected with the appellant's arrest are such as to be inconsistent with his innocence of the offence. This conviction, therefore, stands." said Mr. Justice Lindsell at the Supreme Court this morning at the conclusion of the appeal by Mr. Leo d'Almada, jnr., instructed by Mr. F. H. Loseby, on behalf of Li So, alias Li Tat-shang, against the sentences passed on him in the Lower Court on charges of possession of heroin pills, possession of heroin and possession of

poison. When the case was resumed yesterday, Mr. J. B. Prentis, on behalf of the Crown, said that d'Almada that "Exhibit Z 1" Madame Montargis, are leaving 8.30. was unsatisfactory, but he (Mr. the Colony on Friday April 10, by Prentis) said that he held there the s.s. Andre Lebon and will rewas evidence to the effect that turn about the begining of Januit was quite in order. He also submitted that the document in question had been properly produced and identified by Revenue Officer Grimmitt."

"Sufficient Evidence" Mr. Prentis continued that the appellant was arrested on a The s.s. Sirdhana will leave here floor on which a heroin factory for Singapore at 10.30 a.m. next in full blast was in operation Saturday. and further that in the appellant's possession was found a The R.M.S. Empress of Japan piece of paper on which was left Vancouver last Saturday mornwritten the names of two drugs ing and is due here on the morn which could have been ingre-ing of April 24. She will leave dients for heroin. Taking the the same evening for Manila. evidence as a whole, he said, he submitted that there was suf-

replying to Mr. Prentis, he wanted on Tuesday next. to say that he was in entire agreeupon at a previous hear-Under Charge "A." pellant was fined \$2,500 or one year's imprisonment and under Charge "B" he was to pay \$2,000 or do another year's goal, the sentences to run concurrently.

Mr. D'Almada then, went on to say that his interpretation of the tions Committee of Eighteen is to Hotel on Sunday, April 19, by the comparative differences on the word concurrent, as used by the be convened immediately after Band of the 2nd Battalion, the Asset side are generally account-Magistrate in this particular case, Easter to consider the tightening East Lancashire Regiment (by ed for by the expenditure involved fore the "Lido" could be opened was that the Magistrate had not up of sanctions. stated whether the sentence on Charge "C" shall be concurrent with the first or second part of Charge "A." and it must therefore the whole sentence, and therefore, Belgian Premier, M. van Zeeland, if the whole sentence is reduced is stated to be unable to arrive at to one year by the payment of the Geneva before Friday, so that the fine in Charge "A," then the sen- other representatives of Beague tence on Charge "C" must be member States will have to stay concurrent with Charge "A."

said. "Your Lordships are not here vice. to decide whether the man is an innocent one but whether the trial was properly conducted, and if left London yesterday afternoon injuries received when he jumped not properly conducted then this; case must be quashed."

Must Be Quashed

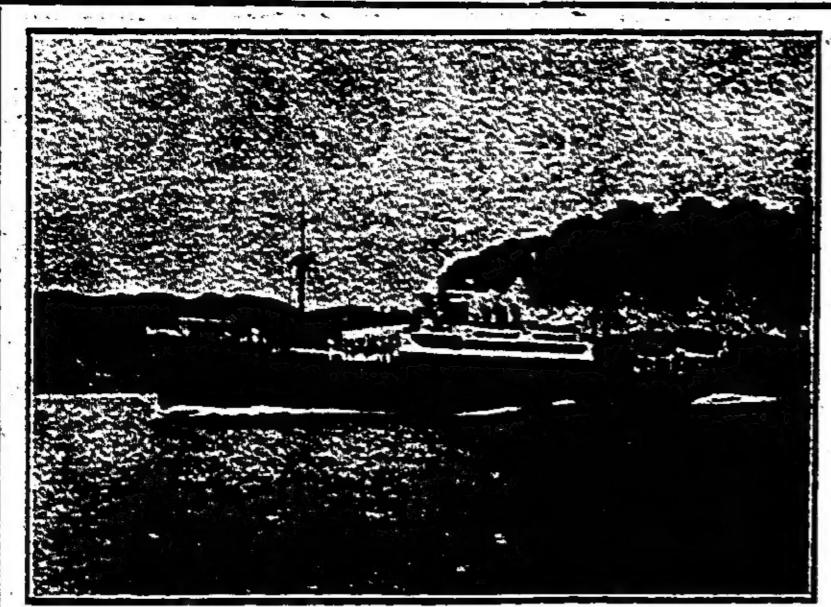
Mr. Justice Lindsell said:-Charge "B" must be quashed. As few days. regards the appeal against conviction on Charges "A" and "C." I am satisfied that the Magistrate's conviction must be upheld I agree that the statements by the persons arrested at the same time as the appellant are not evidence random of April 1, which is still giving a farewell party to the heading for the previous year, earnings during the Summer Seajudgment shows that he must have these arrangements hold the For Governor-designate of Gambia, ment made on taking up the quotal disregarded these, except possibly eigh Secretary will be joined in and Lady Southorn at either the of new shares to which your Comin assessing the penalty to be eigh Secretary will be joined in The Transfer of the of new shares to which your Comimposed.

or connected with the appellant's events of March 7 has been assoarrest, are not such as to be con- ciated with the discussions which sistent with his innocence of the have taken place, both in Paris fore, stands.

"As regards the sentences imposed. I feel that the Magistrate to-day on foreign affairs, in which had no right to differentiate be Lord Halifax will take part. The Kong Hotel Roof Garden on Mon-that the position may be regarded ended December 31, 1935, as pretween this appellant and the other Lord Privy Seal will speak early day, April 27, at 3 p.m., in aid of tween this appellant and the other Lord Privy Seal will speak early day, April 27, at 3 p.m., in aid of persons convicted at the same in order to take the night aero-St. John's Cathedral Organ Fund.

The Drive is being organised by the same which manufled drains the credit of Profit and Loss Actions which manufled drains the credit of Profit and Loss Actions which manufled drains the credit of Profit and Loss Actions which manufled drains the credit of Profit and Loss Actions the Continuous and Profit and Pr the sentences imposed by the Magistrate on Charges "A" and "C" should comform with those imposed on the other persons, namely that the sentence on Charge "A" terday regarding the Staff conver- Music Co., and Moutrie's. should be reduced to \$2,500 or six sations provided for in the draft months, and that on Charge "C" proposals of March 19 and which to \$1,000 or six months."

nesday.



The 2,800-ton "Hong Kong Maru," of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha. which will arrive in the Colony to-morrow morning on her maiden voyage from Keeling, Formosa.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Mr. well-known Exchange Broker, and Repulse Bay Hotel, to-night

The R.M.S. Empress of Asia is due here from Vancouver on May 7 and will leave the same day for

The members of the Hong Kong

ment with the finding that Charge The Good Friday Lantern Ser- at the Registrar's Office, Supreme tion with the financing of the de-"B" against the appellant must be vice arranged to take place at St. Court, yesterday. dropped. This point was decided Andrew's Church, Kowloon, has been cancelled.

UNCERTAIN SITUATION IN EUROPE

(Continued from Page 1)

circumstances the sitting of the ing at 9 p.m. There will be no Committee of Thirteen will last till Saturday, especially since the in the League capital at least until press. In conclusion Mr. D'Almada the week-end.-Trans-Ocean Ser-

MR EDEN LEAVES LONDON for Geneva, where he will attend from a wall while attempting to to-day's meeting of the Committee of Thirteen. The French Foreign Minister will also be in Geneva and the Belgian Premier is expect-"I find that the conviction on ed to arrive there within the next

proposed to take advantage of this Officer of the Most Excellent Order professional services. opportunity for informal consultation the British Empire. tions with regard to the European situation and the German memounder examination in London. "The whole circumstances of, Privy Seal, who ever since the Merchants' Club at 5 p.m. on holding in the Hong Kong and This conviction, there and London, with the other Lo-cott, has accepted an invitation to small comparative 'decline is recarno Powers.

There is a debate in the Lords

STAFF CONVERSATIONS The War Minister, Mr. A. Duffit has now been arranged shall

Mr. M. J. B. Montargis, the A Dinner Dance will be held at

A "Busy Bees" jumble sale will be held on April 24 at 2.30 p.m. in St. John's Cathedral Hall.

The Executive Committee of the Girl Guides Association are holding tea party on Monday, April 20, at 4.30 p.m. at Sandilands Hut to say farewell to the Colony Commissioner, Lady Southorn.

The Y.M.C.A. Literary and location the total of \$46,107.54 Debating Society's series of dis- which amount your Board recomcussions on the subject "Is the mends be carried forward to the World All Right?" will conclude next account. this evening when the Rev. W. Maclean will present the "Religious and Social Point of View."

The forthcoming wedding of ficient evidence for the Magis- Football Referees' Association will Mr. Hubert Carew Hopkins, Bank trate to register a conviction. hold their Annual Dinner and Official, residing at 460, The Peak, is accounted for, as you will ob-Mr. D'Almada said that before Social Evening at the Sports Club and Miss Phyllis Vera Clarke Victoria Hospital, was announced

> but there will be a special Dinner the Profit and Loss Account has Dance in the Rose Room on Saturday.

There will be another popular Band Concert at the Peninsula admission charge.

Sin Ng. a Chinese male working at No. 110 Hollywood Road was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday evening with a smashed hand, as a result of having it jammed in a printing

Ya Yau, a Chinese male. admitted to the Kowloon hospital London: The Foreign Secretary yesterday evening suffering from

If Hon. Sir Thomas Southorn, which is accounted for by a pay- son. Geneva by Lord Halifax. Lord Hong Kong Hotel or the Chinese pany was entitled by virtue of its April 27, when a Chinese address Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., will be presented. His Excellency Ltd. Taken at market prices rulthe Governor, Sir Andrew Calde-ing at the December 31, 1935, a attend the function.

(\$1.50 each) including tes, are ob- past year. tainable at the Cathedral Hall

tory this morning.

H.K. TRUST AND REALTY CO., LTD.

"Lido" Fulfils Long Felt Need

BUT DECREASE IN PROFITS OF FIRM DURING 1935

The annual general meeting of the Hong Kong Trust and Realty Co., Ltd., was held the Registered offices of the Company this morning when Mr. J. H. Taggart, Chairman and Managing Director, presided, supported by Mr. E. M. Raymond, Mr. P. K. Kwok, Sir Shou-Son Chow and Mr. John Fleming (Directors) and Mr. F. C.

Barry (Secretary). The balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account, including the sum of \$22,310.92 brought forward from the previous year, mounted to \$46,107.54, which Directors recommended carrying forward to the next

Among the shareholders present were Mr. P. H. Suckling, Mr. E. Kitchell, Mr. H. M. d'Eca and Mr. C. C. Blake.

Chairman's Speech Reviewing the year, the Chair man said:-

"The profit for the year 1935 amounted to \$23,796.62, which, together with the sum of \$22,310.92 brought forward from the preceding year, makes available for al-

"The Profit and Loss Accoun would appear to call for no particular comment other than to point out that the decrease in profit, amounting to some \$16,000, as compared with the previous year. serve, by the increase in respect Weightman, nursing sister at the of Bank Interest charges resultant upon payments effected in connecvelopment on R. B. L. 368, at Repulse Bay. In this relation your There will be no dance on Good Board did not deem it prudent to Friday at the Peninsula Hotel, capitalise interest, consequently borne the brunt of interest charges during construction.

Work Suspended

"Turning to the Balance Sheet, kind permission of Lient-Col A in the completion of the Southern and this was consequently delayed It is estimated that in these C. Marsh and Officers) commenc- Building and surrounds of the until mid-July of last year, when "Lido" to which I have just re-certain portions of the building ferred. The item "Suspense Ac-were made available to the Public; count": of \$8,240.00 covers pay-completion was not, however, efment of Architectural Fees for fected until well into the Autumn services and plans in connection From the opening date, the estab-

> vealed in the values of the Company's Investments as compared A Bridge and Mahjongg Drive is with the appraisement for the pre-

Cooper, in a Commons answer yes- Helena May Institute, Anderson Balance Sheet, the only item call- the adoption of the Report and Acing for comment is in respect of counts, which was carried When representatives of the the indebtedness to our Bankers, unanimously. where the jacresse under this Mr. P. K. Kwok and Mr. T. E. last Monday night to sign the

To-day's Complete Short Stor-

The Man Who Thought Of Everything'

CHARACTERS. IRENE (a Young Girl). ERNEST (a Young Man). PHYLLIS (& Young Girl).

The scene is Irene's bedroom in a country house in England-up stage, a practicable window. slightly open, and an old-fashioned bell-pull.

The bed is turned down in readiness and there is a hot-water can on or near the washstand; dresses are spread over most of the chairs. small suit-case is open on a

settee at the foot of the bed. Irene is disclosed in profile, standing at the wardrobe; she selects a dress and very deliberately folds it. It will not fit into the suitcase, and after two attempts she shakes it out and don't you. Ernest? selects another one. When it is ERNEST. I have provided for half folded she drope it and every conceivable emergency. starts again on the first one. A IRENE. Anyone would think you grandiather clock (off) strikes had previous experience. twelve very solemnly. Irene goes ERNEST. So I have, in a way. from the window. The window authorities. is slowly opened from the outside. Enter Ernest. through the age usually breaks down. coat over a grey lounge suit, a muffler, and very dirty washcreeper cling to him and he has rhododendrons. a dirty mark across his face.

His monner is quietly confident, perhaps someone else did. and continues so throughout. Irene turns round and, as he advances to meet her with hands ever starting the engineoutstretched, Irene speaks.

IRENE. So you've come. ERNEST. Yes. They approach and seem to be about to kiss, but she draws back. IRENE. Your face!

TO-MORROW'S STORY

Another adventure of Dixon Hawke - The Faked Skid - will appear in tomorrow's editions.

with the contemplated Northern lishment enjoyed considerable Building and Swimming Pool, popularity and, from the degree which form part of the complete of patronage accorded, there is no conditions and experience of the bathing and recreation facilities. mented for the occasion, are

working of the present section "Due to the delay referred to, singing parts of Handel's "Mesjustify the expenditure involved coupled with the unusually cold siah" and Dvorak's "At The In the circumstances, unless re-snap which set in towards the end Foot of the Cross" appropriate sults warrant the completion of of September last, the season was to the season. the works referred to within the comparatively short but the re-His Excellency the Governor, Sir near future, the amount in quest venue that accrued in the two melodies which were old even Andrew Caldecott, is holding a tion will be written off; should months of successful operation his day, are among the most persmall Investiture at noon to-development subsequently be un- was such as to augur well for the fect examples of contrapuntal tuation Account, the nett profit morrow at Government House, dertaken, however, Architectural future of the undertaking, and al- and harmonic writing in existwhen Paymaster-Commander E. A. Fees will be reduced to the ex-though it would be premature at ence. Two of these are includ-As Mr. Eden explained in Mon- Jolly, R.N., of H.M.S. Dorsetshire, tent of the effected payment this juncture to forecast the po- ed in the programme. day night's Commons debate, it is will be invested with the insignia of covering preliminary plans and tentialities of the "Lido," the position should be more capable of about an hour's music, will also "Investments at cost, totalling analysis when the result of opera-\$2,517,770.25, show an increase of tions covering a full year can be mentioned, and with Mr. E. S. G. The Chinese community are \$18,750 over the figure under this reviewed, including the benefit of Kirk, Mrs. Helen Lockhart and

> "Your Directors regret the pass- programme is the inclusion of ing of a Dividend in respect of the one of the boy-choristers. Maspast year, as they feel that pre-ter F. Lapsley, who will sing the valling conditions call for conser- treble section of the aria. "He vation of the Company's cash re-Shall Feed His Flock."

"There being no further matter to which I can usefully refer. now beg formally to propose that the Report of the Directors and arranged to be held at the Hong vious year, and I venture to think the Accounts for the financial year Cathedral Women's Guild. Tickets values which prevailed during the count at that date, be carried forward to the Account for the year "On the Liabilities Side of the 1936." Mr. J. Fleming seconded

A ridge of moderately high heading has been entirely due to Pearce were re-elected to the agreement reached after conbegin in London on Wednesday, pressure extends from Mongolia financing of the "Lido" develop- Board of Directors on the proposal siderable discussion, it was sud-April 15, said that so far as the to Japan. A continental depres ment. I submit that no particut of Mr. Suckling, seconded by dealy announced that the em-The R.M.S. Empress of Britain, War Office was concerned they sion is approaching Shanghai lar explanation on other items is Mr. Kitchell, while Messrs, Lin-ployers had refused to sign the on her round-the-world cruise, will would be conducted solely through from the west. South and south- required stead and Davis were re-elected draft agreement. arrive at Yokohama from Kobe the Director of Military Opera- east winds, moderate; cloudy gen line" Proves Popular auditors for the ensuing year at The workers thereupon de on strike. With the inclusion layout were deemed essential be- seconded by Mr. Blake.

By E. N. Taylor

Ernest goes over to the mirror. ERNEST. Oh I thought of that. Ernest removes the gloves and puts them in his pocket. From another pocket he takes a small sponge and towel, damps sponge in the jug, cleans the pocket. He then takes the coat and muffer, revealing rope ladder wound round his its hooks, the length falling out- count for the year. side the window, off stage. He Mr. Dodwell was supported

IRENE. You think of everything,

to the wardrobe and faces away have read up all the recognised

window. He wears a dirty rain- ERNEST. Cars are more reliable. ly \$500 in the figure for Water TRENE. Where is the car? ERNEST. Just across the lawnleather gloves; bits of ivy and hidden from the house by the

> IRENE. I did not hear it, but ERNEST. I do not think so. She trickled down the slope without

IRENE Perhaps it won't start ERNEST. I tested the whole car thoroughly myself this afternoon. IRENE. Even the big car might supplies from Laichikok. break down.

ERNEST. I have provided that contingency. Another will follow.

ERNEST. A lifelong friend. is in charge of that car. pose to go?

ERNEST. "London. JRENE- Yes, I know; but where in London?

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PASSION WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

Appropriate Music To Be Rendered

scheme of development; these pro-doubt that it has succeeded in in store for all who attend St place of the debit of H.K.\$740 last jects will not, however, be pro-fulfilling a long felt want in the Andrew's Church at 9 p.m. on year. This, however, is offset by ceeded with until such time as matter of providing up to date Thursday when the choir, aug- the reduction of H.K.\$800 old m

Bach's settings of chorale

The recital, which will entail include solos from the works of H.K.\$45,773.76, with which it Mr. P. H. Billing as the principal artists, sympathetic renderings are assured. A feature of the

70,000 ON STRIKE Critical Situation

At Barcelona

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL Barcelona, To-day. The announcement that the equate. 50,000 metal workers of the Catalan Metal Works would resume work seems to have been H.K.\$100,000 as against the

workers and the employers met

cial workers would likewise go 70,000 -Trans-Ocean Service.

UNION WATERBOAT COMPANY

Small Increase In **Profits**

MORE WATER SOLD THAN PREVIOUS YEAR

Presiding at the annual meeting of the Union Waterboat Co., Ltd., which was held at the offices of Messrs. Dodwell & Co., Ltd. Hong Kong Bank Building, this morning, Mr. S. H. face, and returns the things to Dodwell, in the course of his review of the year, said that deso pite the fact that there was an increase in wages, coal and upwaist; he unwinds this and fixes keep, a small increase was shown it in the window by means of in the profit on working ac-

removes a few bits of ivy from by Messrs. M. T. Johnson, I. W. his clothes, dusts his shoes with Shewan and K. Watanabe (memthe muffler, and then turns to bers of the Consulting Commit-Irene, who has sat down on the tee) and Messrs. A. C. I. Bowker (Secretary) and J. S. Howell, W. Wright and M. A. Johnson (shareholders).

> Chairman's Speech Addressing the meeting, the Chairman said:—

"The total sales of water amounted to 530,156 tons, an increase of 891 tons over the pre-IRENE. In the books the carri- vious year, and this has resulted in a small increase of approxiatesales in the Working Account.

"Sales from the Kowloon Wharf mains are down some \$6,000, but general sales are up correspondingly and this was due to the water restrictions in force during the year. Various supplies which in the ordinary course of events would have been made from the Wharf lines had to be supplied by boats drawing their

"Analysing the Running exfor penses, which are down some car H.K.\$600, we find that Wages. Upkeep, and Coal are up H.K.\$2.-500, which is due to the recommis-IRENE. The driver might let us sioning of No. 6 Waterboat. This increase, however, is more than in offset by a reduction in the Fuel whom I have implicit confidence, Oil and Insurance charges. The price of the former was reduced IRENE. And where do you pro-during the year and the lower figure for insurance is due to the reduction of cover on the revaluation of the fleet as at December 31, 1934. The net result is s small increase of H.K.\$650 in the profit on Working Account as compared with the previous year. "The balance of Profits and

Loss Account shows an increase of H.K.\$950. The overdraft was wiped out when the Union Insurance Society of Canton shares were disposed of in 1934 and consequently we now have a credit A feast of beautiful music is of H.K.\$50 in Interest Account in the income from investments.

> \$1,146.14 Increased Profit "After allowing for deprecia-

tion on Waterboats and Launch, and on the suggestion of our Auditors writing off the small balance on the Investment Flucfor the year amounts to \$42,450.33 as against \$41,504.19 for the year 1934. Adding to the nett profit the sum of \$3,323.43 carried forward from last account there remains for appropriation the sum.

is proposed to deal as follows:-Transfer to Special Repairs Funds H.K.\$8,000.00 Transfer to Staff Leaves and Contingency Ac-

2,060,00 Transfer to Investment Fluctuation Account 2.000.00 Pay a dividend of 86 cents on 28,813 shares 31,050.40 Carry forward to next

2,723.36 H.K.\$45,773.76 "The fleet has been maintained in a high state of efficiency and the depreciation written off Waterboats and Launch is in accordance with the schedule laid down 3 years ago and is ad-

"The present market value of our Investments is just over Balance Sheet figure of H.K.399,

The chairman then moved the adoption of the report and ac-Mr. M. A. Johnson and was car-

on Sunday and will leave again for tions and Intelligence, Major-Gen- orally, was the foresast for to-day. "Various alterations and amend- the same remuneration as before, clared that the strike would be of the Provincial workers, the Honolulu on the evening of Wed-eral J. G. Dill.—British Wireless as issued by the Royal Observar ments in the originally approved on the proposal of Mr. d'Eca, continued, and that the Provin-number of strikers is now



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SOVIET PERFECTS ITS WAR-MACHINE

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Morally, the Red conscript is relatively happy warrior, subjected to an iron but not vexatious discipline, although the system of training is quite as as in the old Tsarist army, and there seems to be little of that easy interplay between officers and men which characterises the British Army. His officer is now largely protected against political intrigue and police pressure — the seamier side of the Soviet as of most other new regimes.

Hungry Civilians Red officers have just been granted the further protection of a proper military status with fixed ranks and a regular system of promotion. They cannot be cashiered except by the ver-tion is just as certainly improvdict of a court-martial, confirm- ing with the new factories get- ficials, the ship has been delayed ed by Voroshilof himself, while ting into their stride. the new Red Marshals can only The already immense War here to-morrow morning, when be degraded by a decree of the Budget of 1935 has actually she will berth at the O.S.K.'s

also add to their self-confidence, thousand million roubles, or Limited, Connaught Road, West. have clear badges of rank dis-£592,000,000 at the latest of- Commencing from Sunday, this tinguishing them from the po-ficial rate of exchange. litical officers (half atheist pato them.

forms were found to be desir-quote from Marshal Tukhachev- Hozan Maru will be placed on the able, in part because the French ski's speech on Jan. 15, included same route to take up a mid-week and Czech generals, who are all men actually serving in the service to Keelung, leaving the now beginning to visit the Red Army, Air Force and Navy, but Colony on Tuesdays or Thursdays. Army Staff, did not take acting not the specially selected ranks seriously or respect care- O.G.P.U. troops, who number at All possible precaution against lessly dressed officers: least another 120,000.

ditions by comparison with the creases. On Jan. 1 over 77 per made to emit jets of steam, thus civilian population - beautiful cent. of the Red Army's total preventing pirates from reaching holiday palaces on the Black strength was already serving in the bridge. Besides this the vessel Sea Riviera and the Caucasian fully-trained Regular Divisions is equipped with bullet-proof. Mountains, playing fields, clubs, "approximately on a war foot-glass, a grille, wireless telegraph ing halls for the men. In lean cent. were still receiving short- There is accommodation for 18 years Red conscripts are often term training only in local Ter-first class passengers (9 cabins on caught selling their surplus ritorial Divisions. bread to hungry civilians. In Russia probably now has at sengers (7 cabins on upper-deck), distinctions are deliberately age who have done at least two lower deck). maintained because Stalin, like years' full conscript service. his master Lenin, has digested without counting the millions Machiavelli's teaching that all lightly trained in Territorial of a bombing raid. militant dictatorships must al- Divisions or the many millions If the parachutists succeed ways go on contriving new ar- more taught to shoot and march in occupying favourable ground, tificial means of favouring the by the official League for Avia- this is followed up by more soldiery.

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governing group in the world, this great country. from "spyonitis."

last Soviet Congress, the num-ber of tankettes increased by to polish them up. 2,475 per cent., light tanks by - In Charge Of Defence planes by 700 p.c., aeroplanes of conciliating the downtrodden right on top of them. by 330 p.c., submarines by 535 peasantry has not yet gone far been even faster. And the agreeable surprises.

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Council of People's Commissars. been doubled for 1936 to reach newly constructed wharf opposite Their new uniforms, which the astronomical figure of 14.8 Messrs. Sincere and Company,

Under Arms ready had 1,300,000 men under Maru, and, providing there is Fixed ranks and smart uni-arms. This figure, which

Materially, no other army en- Moreover, the proportion of the bridge are steam pipes, which joys such favourable living con-fully-trained effectives daily in- in the event of an attack, can be theatres, flats for officers, din-ing." The remaining 23 per and lines of picket fences.

less lean years these material least 6.000,000 men of military and 190 third-class passengers (on

the Russian Bolsheviks suffer Nevertheless, the Red Army emy's rear, while cavalry, tanks is by no means ready to at and mechanised infantry underthe same, to intimidate tempt an offensive war against take mass shock action in co-Russia's enemies, impress pos-sible allies, and justify at home many or Japan, even if Stalin drons attached to the cavalry in the colossal sacrifices made, So-wished to wage one, which he an attempt to break through viet leaders are now more in-certainly does not. The gener-his front. clined to give information about al cultural level of the new ofthe state of Russian armaments ficers, drawn from Russia's still ficial manoeuvres film called - but only percentages of "in- primitive. working-class and "Battle for Kief," publicly excrease, not absolute figures. therefore leaving school for hibited in Moscow. But such In the four years 1931-34, factory at the average age of tactics, however suited to the Marshal Tukhachevski told the 15, is still too low, although envast open spaces of Western

quality of arms and ammuni- But on the defensive - its plains like Balaklava. Marshal action based on the new system Budienny, former N.C.O. and of highly fortified points along Bolshevik "Murat," may have the frontiers — the Red Army brought off such coups against will be very formidable indeed half-trained Poles and the Even in their chronically ill-typhus-stricken debris of the equipped past. Russian soldiers White Armies in 1920, but he always fought well on their had better not try it against own soil

> Defence with a single General ed that the Russian staff could Staff will be in charge of the stage a battle of movement in combined operations of the which perhaps three army Army, Air Force and Fleet. And corps and a couple of mechan-Defence Commissar Voroshilof ised divisions, a thousand tanks has under him a small number and several hundred aeroplanes of gifted officers, trained in the were engaged (a considerable old Imperial Staff College, cap-but not enormous, force when able of making a co-ordinated one remembers the length of plan for their combined action Russia's western front). But on the defensive.

> der-in-Chief and key member word, but a carefully rehearsed of the tiny dictating group tactical display with nothing gives him power enough to im-unforeseen about it. pose the plan of campaign he considers best, and first call on Four cases of smallpox (with

Large-Scale Raiding from big bombers under cover of enteric fever were reported.

HONG KONG MARU **DUE TO-MORROW**

New O.S.K. Vessel On Keelung Run

ANTI-PIRACY SAFEGUARDS

Named after the Colony, the s.s. Hong Kong Marn of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha will arrive here to-morrow morning on her maiden voyage from Keelung, Formosa. She is to replace the s.s. Hozan Maru on the Canton-Hong Kong-Swatow-Amoy-Keelung run. This new vessel was built in the

Mitsubishi Jukogyo Kaisha Dockyard at Kobe, and was completed on March 20. On April 5 she sailed from Keelung, and was scheduled to arrive in the local harbour this morning, but, according to a cablegram received from Amoy yesterday by the O.S.K. of-

new ship will maintain the weekly Sunday service from Hong Kong dres. half policemen) attached By the end of 1935 Russia al- to Keelung with the s.s. Canton sufficient traffic the displaced

> Elaborate Precaution piracy is provided; running round

bridge-deck), 47 second-class pas-

Her average speed is 15 knots.

tion and Chemical Defence (Os-planes actually landing with soviakhim). However, man-mechanised infantry and light Perhaps more than any other power was never a problem for tanks. Thus a swift mechanised unit plays havoc in the en-

This film also shows the bril-760 p.c., medium tanks by 792 Railway communications are liant use the Russians are now p.c., heavy artillery by 240 p.c., still too poor. The general or-making of camouflage. Their anti-tank guns by 450 p.c., ma-ganisation of the country is machine-gun and anti-tank gun chine-guns for tanks and aero-still too primitive. The policy pits are invisible until you are · Staged Battle

p.c. The growth of Russian enough. Any policy of adven- On the other hand, they send armament in 1935 has certainly ture might well lead to dis-massed cavalry charging, hopelessly exposed, across open

> any first-class military Power-A single Commissariat for These Kief manoeuvres show-

> it was a staged battle; not His dual position as Comman-manoeuvres in our sense of the

all the resources of the country three deaths), five of diphtheria CHANGTE for its execution. (with four deaths), one (import-TAIPING ed) of scarlet fever, five (two CHANGTE Judging by the autumn's big imported) of enteric fever (with manoeuvres near Kief, the Red two deaths), and 12 of cerebro-Army's chief contribution to spinal fever (with seven deaths) the art of war is large-scale were reported to the Health auraiding behind enemy lines by thorities during the week ended one or more battalions of para April 4. During the 24 hours ended chute jumpers, armed with on Monday two cases each of light automatics and dropped smallpox and diphtheria and one

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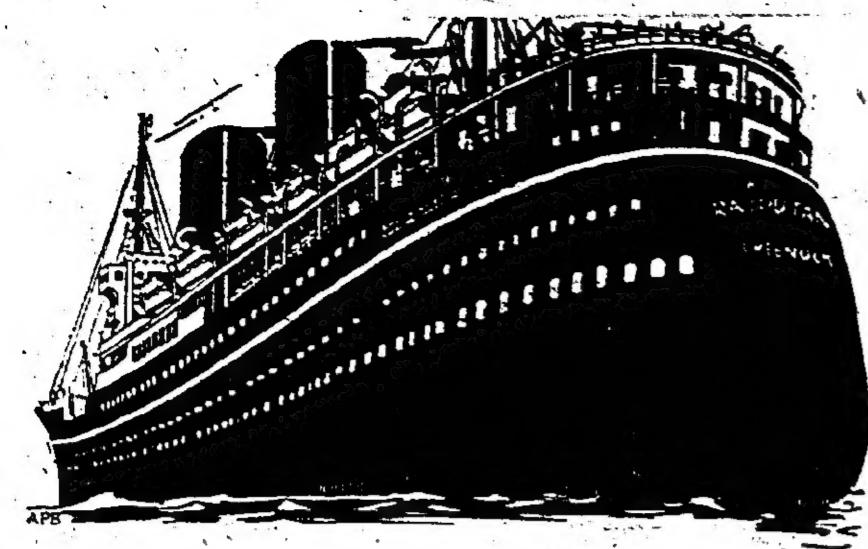
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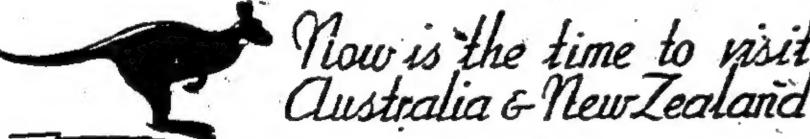
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The Man Who Thought

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Paris.

IRENE. Wedding breakfasts are naually held after the wedding. ERNEST. Not in elopementsbut, anyway, there will be an excellent lunch on the aeroplane. IRENE. And where is the wed-there.

ding to take place? ERNEST. At St. Peter's-in-the fields—just across the road from

the Airways Office.

ERNEST. None whatever. I wen? the special licence. The parson is a jolly sound fellow who "kept" over me at Cambridge you must remember him, Irene—a big dark ing alone very much. You played my dear. What did you think fellow—name of Hopkins—he row—golf every day with George Drum—Ernest had brought the ladder for? ed stroke the year we bumped mond. Queen's, and you danced with him

quite a lot-IRENE. Yes, I seem to remember Hoppy-rather a dear in his way; I think I could trust him. ERNEST. Of course; old Hop

never let anyone down in his life. IRENE. Don't you need someone else besides the parson?

ERNEST. I detailed the two witnesses, and we shall have the driver of the car there in reserve. IRENE I am not quite sure

that I like the idea of flying. ERNEST. But flying is the whole point. The principal cause of failure in the past has been simply that when the time came they said "Now we must fly!" but they could not. Nowadays one can actually fly and success is assured. IRENE. You are sure you can

ERNEST. I have the tickets in my pocket. IRENE. And the passports?

ERNEST. And the passports. IRENE. Well, anyway, I am not ready.

ERNEST. I thought of that. Ernest goes over to one side of the stage, eits down, and fills and lights his pipe with great every detail. deliberation.

over to Ernest.

IRENE. You know. Ernest, you are a very thorough person, but to it. ERNEST. I am quite sure.

Swettenham,

doubtful IRENE. Your manner has chang- not coming.

ERNEST. IIt was changed at

IRENE. What do you mean? ERENE. It was your idea that She wears smart motoring kit and to avert all risk of suspicion should appear to cool off.

but it is possible to be ERNEST. First of all breakfast; thorough. It is one thing to apthen, the wedding; and then fly to pear to cool off, and it is quite

> ERNEST. I don't quite follow you. Irene. When are you alluding to as "elsewhere"?

ERNEST. But you yourself sug-

IRENE. Your little attentions IRENE. And you are sure there soon became altogether too con-

play golf with Georgie? I had agreed that it would help to avert He keips her to put on her minsuspicion if I occasionally went out with someone else. You have no right to be jealous of Georgie.

Irene goes over to the dressing- through your own window, Phyllis? table and powders her nose with continues to smoke imperturbably. There is a pause. Irene comes down to the suit-casethen she goes back and very deliberately fits a cigarette into a holder, lights it and comes

over to Ernest. IRENE. So you are still prepared to go through with it?

ERNEST. There is ample time. carry it off without a hitch?

of any kind. ful. Ernest, but you are sure that Now that I am rid of you and your your arrangements are complete? rotten plans I've a jolly good

rene resumes her packing, but is Ernest. You fancy yourself as the You'll find George waiting for you even more irresolute than before, man who thought of everything, but in the second car.

you have not foreseen. ERNEST. But I can still attend

have been so carried away by the Just lately I have been splendour of your own plans that you have failed in the most im-ERNEST. But why? Have I not portant thing of all. It takes two fulfilled your every slightest wish? to elope, my good Ernest, and I am

ERNEST (vern thought of that

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(Enter PHYLLIS.) carries a small suit-case and a light raincoat.

PHYLLIS, Hallo, Ernest.

another to warm up elsewhere.

JEENE. I am sorry that I ever thing ready? asked Phyllis to come and stay She goes to the mirror, adjusts

gested that I should show some little attention to Phyllis.

will be no difficulty over the cere- vincing. You and Phyllis have been inseparable. You looked at bring the car. me as though I was not there. Canterbury myself and procured You neglected me and left me alone slope without a sound. for hours while you went off everywhere with Phyllis.

IRENE Well, why should I not ladder.) Is it safe, darling? do something. Besides, you go down. ERNEST. I am not the slightest

bit jealous of Georgie. some asperity of manner. Ernest There is an occasional squeak as swiftly puts on his coat, takes

ERNEST. Fully prepared. TRENE. There is still time to go into your room. to London?

THENE And you think you can

IRENE. You really are wonder- muffler through the window). ERNEST. They are complete in mind to clope with George Drum-

TRENE. No. you are wrong. After a few minutes she comes there is one trifling detail which

are you sure that I can trust you? IRENE. I am afraid not. You

calmly). IRENE. WHAT?

ERNEST. Hallo, darling. Ernest and Phyllis embrace thusiastically. -

Irene staggers back and sits the bed-her breath taken away by the shock. PHYLLIS. Have you got every-

her hat and hair, and powders het noss.

ERNEST. Everything. With swift movements he locks the door drops the key into the jug and severs the bell-pull. PHYLLIS- I did not hear you

ERNEST. She trickled down the

IRENE (recovering). And may I ask what you think you are doing? ERNEST. I never noticed you be PHYLLIS (sweetly). Eloping,

(She goes up and inspects the ERNEST. I will hold it while you

-cost and go through the - window. She begins to go down the

JRENE Well, at least I should like to know why you cannot elope ERNEST. There is no ivy there Phyllis descends (off): Ernest

a cord from the pocket, and lowers Phyllis's bag-Irene tugs vainly at the door, and then runs across to the bell-pull. TRENE. I shall call father.

(Colls) Father! ERNEST. I would not do that. He will only ask why you let me

Ernest goes through the window and begins to descend, facing the

audience. IRENE. Well, there's one thing ERNEST There will be no hitch you have forgotten, you treacherous beast! (She hurls his

> ERNEST. I thought of that too. CURTAIN.

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"Grand Exit" Lowe and Anne. Sothern, it is not too difficult to understand the adventures of the newspaper. chock-full of surprises and thrills, should make this pleasing to the reporters. Full of excitement all worked into the plot of a de-cinema fans. (Queen's). tective employed by Fire Insurance companies, whose work is to

(Alhambra).

"Two In The Dark"

Adapted from the best-seller fection. made his first film appearance in enough for this musical.

without knowing who he is. The a story about a Bishop involved left port this morning after solution comes through the aid of in criminal goings-on. Maureen short stay here. a pretty actress (Margot Gra- O'Sullivan and Norman Foster in hame) and not a Philo Vance __ the romance. Gwenn's perform Vice-Admiral Murfin, returned to which gives quite a new angle to ance saves the film from medio the Colony this morning from the story Wally Ford, Erin crity. (Majestic). O'Brien-Moore, Gail Patrick and

"I Live For Love" stage background starring did in "The Champ."

Dolores del Rio is a tempera-

with Rita Cansino, a Russian im-countryman (Don Alvarado) but drama gives her a fine acting migrant. Jane Darwell is her when she meets the famous Radio is star real love enters and, with it, leading man, is always pleasing.
Others who contribute to the enthe innumerable temperamental scenes others who contribute to the en-Rio is pleasing and Mr. Marshall Gail Patrick, Pinky Tomlin, and charms with his beautiful voice. Sidney Blackmer. (Oriental). Here is a plot hitherto un-Guy Kibbee, Allen Jenkins and touched - no one knows why - Burton Churchill chief among the which exposes the arson racket support, while Shaw and Lee in-liant actress. Bette Davis, with Developed by Columbia writers troduce their variety act. Beau. George Brent, in "Front Page and splendidly acted by Edmund tiful mounting and a story that is Woman." . Story written round

Majestic find the culprits for purposely-lit length feature in the three-colour process. Miriam Hopkins gives an Onslow Stevens does a fine piece outstanding performance in the of acting, while Robert Middle-leading role, but the supporting mass. Wyrley Birch, Selmer Jack-cast is not up to an A. l. standard. son and others contribute to the Worth seeing, as they say in the routines and catchy songs. Cast thrilling enjoyment of a film that inner circles that ere long black gives an insight into a subject and white will be a thing of the players in the film colony, Johnny that holds tremendous interest past. The colouring is almost Duchin's Band. A weak story, natural, and very soon — judging but quite an enjoyable show.

as easy to follow as it is novel Frank Parker, Tamara, Helen moving the perfect Lynd, Russ Brown, Arthur Pierscore for this kind of play. The son, Jack Dempsey, Abe Lyman tells how Walter Abel and his Band. The music, charm-(stage actor from Broadway, who ingly sung, is recommendation "The Three Musketeers"), suffer- After this is promised Edmund ing from amnesia, finds himself Gwenn in his first Hollywood redeeply embroiled in a murder lease "The Bishop Misbehaves,"

Oriental

background. Hearty acting by ing the Commander-in-Chief.

Wallace Beery and Jackie Cooper, A Warners musical with Radio who pile on the sentiment as they

exotic Dolores del Rio and the Followed by Ruby Keeler and baritone Everett Marshall His Dick Powell in "Shipmates Forsongs, specially written, are of ever." There is hardly a more the popular variety and he puts popular team in films than these them over in the excellent fashion two, so any vehicle in which they we would expect from one who appear is sure to be interesting has made his mark in the Metro- and enjoyable. Frank Borzage his politan and in musicals on Broad-does a fine piece of directing too, while Ross Alexander and John

Ariedge help along. Ida Lupino in "Smart Girl" is club impresario and falls in love herself in love with a fellow next on the list. This comedychance, while Kent Taylor, her

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ing, said that at 8 p.m. on Monday last, the first defendant was arrested and taken to Central Police Station for interroga-

The girl, it appeared, brought down from Swatow without the consent of her parents. At about 4.15 p.m. on March 24, the first defendant took the girl from the front entrance of her for Hong Kong. On arrival in the Colony they went to No. 209 Des Voeux Road, West, where they remained for four days, the girl occupying the rear cubicle. She was then taken to a house in Moh Fung Street.

An amah, who was Sergeant Cashman's main witness, was brought to the Moh Fung Street and find a buyer but she declined between Rome and Cairo. deal. There was no evidence was rented by the former.

Sergt. Cashman asked His hard labour each. Workship to take a very serious able to obtain the leave.

hird defendant, but sentenced Inspector Andrews prosecuted - British Wireless Service.

CROWN PRINCE IN RESCUE PARTY

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RELENTLESS PURSUIT Rome: War bulletin No. 178 Four unemployed Chinese, Ng states: "Our troops are hard on Chiu-chun, alias Ng Yau-chung, the heels of the enemy, who are aged 27, Lee Sam-tai, aged 35, retreating towards Cobbo. The Lee Kam-hop, aged 50, and Abyssinian rearguard was re-Chau Man, alias Ng Tai-nam, pulsed and scattered on Monday appeared before Mr. S. F. Bal- by an Eritrean column. Cleaningthis morning charged with de- the course of which considerable taining a child under the age of war material was found, and also

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Significant Exchange Of Notes

Rome: A highly significant ex-House to see the child and to try change of notes has taken place Egyptian interests. to have anything to do with the Italian note, signed by Signor similar note was handed to the

against the third and fourth de the first accused to one year's fendants except that the cubicle hard labour and the second and fourth accused to six months'

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child's father, who was a Police Magistracy when he pleaded ernment were mindful of the un-

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> It will be remembered that British Government about British interests in Lake Tsana some time London.-Trans-Ocean Service.

UNDERTAKING GIVEN London: The British Ambassador in Rome, Sir Eric Drummond, view of the case, and said that Yeung Li, aged 51, unemployed, who on Monday saw the Italian the child could safely be placed was this morning sentenced to Under-Secretary for Foreign in the hands of a relative who eight months' hard labour by Mr. Affairs, Signor Suvich, received an had come to the Colony, the S. F. Balfour at the Central assurance that the Italian Gov-Inspector at Swatow, being un-guilty to a prohibitive transac-dertakings previously given, that tion on one Hui So-ha, aged under the Italian Air Force would not His Worship discharged the 12, for a valuable consideration. bomb Addis Ababa and Diredawa.

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